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COX PARDONS MURDERER

DOCTORS IN DOPE RING

HAYS REINSTATES 'FATTY' ARBUCKLE

HE'S GOING BACK TO THE MOVIES

FATTY ARBUCKLE

HEALER'S 122 'AFFINITIES' DENOUNCE HIS WIFE

Providence, Dec. 20.—The 122 alleged "affinities" of Dr. Adolph H. Englehardt, alias Dr. Adolph von Henri, of Providence, accused by his twenty-year-old wife, Minnie, of being a modern Lothario, who tried to turn their home into a harem, rose en masse today in defence of the handsome "divine healer."

The feminine attendants of the Church of the Divine Science, on Westminster street, Providence, over which Dr. Englehardt presides, turned up their noses at Mrs. Englehardt today. They charged her with being jealous and no stickler for the truth.

RIDICULED BY HUSBAND.

And the doctor, who, the Providence police say is known to the authorities in Malden, insisted that he still loved his wife who seeks divorce from him for alleged misconduct and non-support.

"She flatters me," said he good-naturedly. "She took my patient list . . . she arose to make out that innocent women are corespondents. Why, some of the names are those of girls five years old and there is a great-grandmother who is eighty-two years of age. That shows how much reliance can be placed in her story. She can't seem to see straight."

MANY FIFTY YEARS OLD.

All Rhode Island was curious today to learn the names of the "favored 122." The list includes the names of the daughters and wives of bankers and laborers, salesgirls, stenographers and telephone operators it is said.

Supporters of Dr. Englehardt insist that the majority of the women

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NEW YEAR'S PRESENT TO ACTOR.

Latest Film Destroyed Because Producers Believed He'd Never Come Back

Los Angeles, Dec. 20.—Will Hays, "commander-in-chief" of the movie industry, today officially reinstated Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle as an actor in the film field.

Arbuckle was barred from participation in the industry following his arrest after the death of Virginia Rappe in Los Angeles. The girl died in a hotel in this city as the aftermath of a high-powered party said to have been staged in Arbuckle's rooms. Arbuckle was later acquitted on a manslaughter charge.

Mr. Hays' pronunciamento constitutes the one possible Christmas gift that can mean anything to the man who was termed "The Paleface of the Films." He may work after New Year. His films will be released at once.

It was reported recently that the

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CHARGES DOPE RING IN MAINE

Minister and Doctors Included in Smuggling, Witness Testifies

Portland, Me., Dec. 20.—A nest of "dope" running and "dope" using doctors; also including at least one clergyman, exists in Maine, according to testimony today at the trial of Dr. Erwin C. Ruth and Ralph A. Frye, federal agents from the Boston district, who are accused of conspiracy and extortion.

Phominent Maine physicians smuggle thousands of dollars worth of drugs over the Canadian border annually, said Dr. Frederic W. Tozer.

Dr. Tozer testified that one physician takes $20 worth of drugs a day.

Dr. Tozer, who is named as co-conspirator with the defendants, testified that he told Frye of this smuggling when Frye was in Maine investigating illegal drug traffic. He said he supplied Frye with names of suspected doctors.

CHARGES "SHAKEDOWN."

According to government charges, federal agents who were sent into Maine to break up illicit drug traffic, had "shaken down" drug users and traffickers through threats of exposure and prosecution.

Dr. Wallace W. Dyson testified that Frye, one of the defendants,

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DEFEATED FAIRLY, ADMITS GASTON

New York, Dec. 20.—William A. Gaston, defeated candidate for Senator in Massachusetts, expressed no sympathy with the attempt to unseat Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, when he arrived today on the liner Olympic.

"I was defeated fairly. Lodge deserves the seat," he said.

TEACHERS WHO HAD HOME BREW FIRED

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 20.—The resignation of four instructors at North Carolina State College were requested today by President W. C. Riddick, who charged the men with having manufactured home brew in their rooms at the college.

RUSHING CITY COAL TO BEAT CHRISTMAS

So as to catch up with the back deliveries of municipal semi-anthracite coal, Mayor Curley today placed in commission fifty additional city teams, so as all the outstanding orders may be delivered before Christmas.

All of the municipal coal has been sold Many of those who rushed in to cancel their orders are now appearing at the fuel committee headquarters and renewing them again.

The semi-anthracite is sold to the citizens of Boston at $14.50 a ton delivered. It is free burning and there is less than 2,000 tons left. In New York it is being sold for as high as $23.80 a ton.

PRINCESS RETURNS, DENIES AID TO TINO

New York, Dec. 20 (By the Associated Press).—Princess Anastasia of Greece, arriving on the Olympic today for a visit to her native land, did once set about the business of scotching the 'American Dollar Princess" legend which has followed her since she married Prince Christopher, brother of former King Constantine of Greece.

Standing beside her royal spouse, she declared that, reports to the contrary notwithstanding, she had not expended one penny of the fortune left her by her late husband, William B. Leeds, "the tinplate king,"

ONLY THREE MORE DAYS
left in which to complete your Christmas shopping. Today's Classified Section carries a list of wonderful suggestions. Read them carefully before you make another purchase.

LIFER IS FREED BY COUNCIL

Oscar W. Nelson Is Released After Serving 22 Years for Murder

A man, who for twenty-two years has stoutly protested his innocence of murder for which he has been serving a life sentence in Charlestown State Prison, was given a Christmas gift of freedom by Governor Cox and the Governor's Council.

The man is Oscar W. Nelson of Worcester.

On the night of November 13, 1900, Mrs. Gustav Ericson was awakened by the struggle in the bed beside her. A man in the darkness of night had reached over her and plunged a dagger into the body of her husband, who slept beside her.

Her husband seized the man, who

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REFUSE TO PAY FARES ON TRAIN

Protest Is Staged by Patrons Delayed 40 Minutes at South Station

The worm has turned!

A whole carful of [illegible] tated commuters on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railway, their patience worn to shreds when their train left the South Station forty minutes late, struck back at the road by refusing point-blank to give their tickets or pay their fares to the conductor.

This amazing revolt of commuters happened on the 5:12 p. m. train from Boston for South Braintree, Randolph, North Easton and North Stoughton.

Up in the smoking car things

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SANITY TEST FOR SPEEDING AUTOISTS

Detroit, Dec. 20.—Declaring his belief that persons who speed in automobiles "either are weak-minded or are wilful wrong-doers," Judge Charles L. Bartlett announced today that all convicted speeders would be given a sanity test.

"If the speeders are found to be weak-minded, they will receive treatment usually accord such unfortunates; if they are not weak-minded they will receive heavy jail sentences," the said.

Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund

$9,000 BLAZE IN WEYMOUTH FACTORY

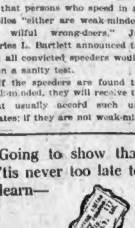
James Crowder was feeding fabric in a coating presser in the Weymouth Art Leather factory, Weymouth, today, when flames flared up and started fire that caused approximately $9,000 damage. Automatic sprinklers checked the spread of the fire and the thirty-five employes of the plant had it well under control when the apparatus arrived.

Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund

BANK STATEMENT.

NewYork bank clearings	$757,000,000
New York bank balances	77,000,000
Boston bank clearings	52,000,000
Boston bank balances	10,000,000
N Y Fed Res Bank credit	67,000,000

Going to show that 'tis never too late to learn—



Tripping the light fantastic on the shady side of life has led many a man and woman to see the sunny side of life. The same result comes from reading the American Classified Ad. Page. It streams sunshine of timely opportunity.

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BOSTON'S HOMELIKE HOTEL
Huntington Ave. at Exeter St.
The Excellent Cooking in this Hotel is known from Coast to Coast
SPECIAL
CHRISTMAS DINNER
$3.00 Per Cover
MONDAY, DEC. 25, 12 to 8 P. M.
Special Luncheons
For Business Men and Lady Shoppers
11:30 to 2
Special Dinner
Every Evening, 6 to 8
600 Rooms—600 With Private Bath
Rates, $3 to $12 Per Day
Tel. Back Bay 5400

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3rd BIG SENSATIONAL WEEK
TWICE DAILY 2:10 & 8:10
SOL LESSER presents
JACKIE COOGAN
in CHARLES DICKENS IMMORTAL CLASSIC
OLIVER TWIST
A FIRST NATIONAL ATTRACTION

HUB TRUST CO
28 TREMONT STREET
Member Federal Reserve System
Checking and Savings Accounts Solicited
MAKE THIS SERVICE MARK YOUR BANK

ROLLINS FOUND NOT GUILTY

Robert Rollins, brother of Charles and George, the convicted murderers, was found not guilty today in Superior Criminal Court on a charge of assault and battery on Walter Billig and Thomas Josephs. The alleged attack occurred in an Upham's Corner luncheon on August 26. George Kingsman, accused with Rollins, was found not guilty. The jury was out four hours.

MILL WORKERS TO DEMAND OLD WAGES

Lawrence, Dec. 20.—Francis J. Gorman, an organizer for the United Textile Workers of America, announced today that the local textile council, at a meeting, had voted to endorse the movement to restore wages in effect previous to the 22 1-2 per cent. wage cut of December, 1920.

CHRISTMAS BOSTON GARTERS
In handsome holiday boxes. At dept. stores and men's wear shops.—Advt.

WIFE DECLARES 'DIVINE HEALER' TURNED HER HOME INTO A HAREM

KEPT BIG STOCK OF KIMONAS

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named is Mrs. Englehardt's bill are married women or spinsters and that most of them are over fifty years of age.

Mrs. H. J. Brayton, a great-grandmother, aged eighty-two, is named in the list, as is her sixty-two-year old daughter, Mrs. Ida Angell, and also little Edith Roberts, aged five.

Grandma Brayton was as spirited as any of the younger parishioners of Englehardt in rallying to his support. She praised him and told how Mrs. Englehardt got mad because Mrs. Brayton's daughter, Mrs. Angell, bought a pound of steak for the doctor.

The women indignantly denied Mrs. Englehardt's imputation. They charged her with being high-tempered and unreasonable.

INTERNED DURING WAR.

The Providence police call attention to the fact that Englehardt was known as "Dr. Von Henri" before the war, that during hostilities he was interned at Fort Oglethorpe and that he changed his name back to Dr. Adolph H. Englehardt when freed, after the armistice. The Providence police further allege that Dr. Englehardt is known to the police of that city and Malden, because of an alleged fondness for practicing medicine illegally.

Mrs. Englehardt, formerly Minnie Colwell, is at present living with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Colwell on their farm in Johnston. She recently received an allowance of $35 weekly at a hearing for separate support, and trial of her suit for divorce is scheduled to start in Providence on January 8.

The girl-wife makes charges of a sensational and unusual nature.

HIS WIFE'S CHARGES.

She claims her husband kept enough gaudy kimonas of silky textures and varied hues to stock a small store.

She charges that he had a mesmeric influence over the girls and women who flocked to him for treatment.

"She declares his "divine healing" simply consisted of a "touch system or stroking with his hands," and that the only "souls he saved were for himself."

She says her husband gave his massage treatment to the accompaniment of lively tunes on the graphophone and that he had no fixed fee, depending on the generosity of patients.

Mrs. Englehardt, in her petition, alleges non-support and "gross behavior and wickedness in that he has associated with women for immoral purposes." She also charges extreme cruelty.

On top of these charges Leon B. Colwell, the wife's father, told the Boston American that less than a year after his daughter's marriage the doctor won and wooed another Providence woman, and even presented her a ring. The girl's counsel claims he verified the father's statement, and showed the Boston American the ring box and the girl's handwriting, in which she returned the ring and the box to the doctor.

A partial list of the women named as co-respondents by Mrs Englehardt follows: Mrs. Mary Parker, 82; Mrs. Charles Bass, 65; Mrs. Georgianna Gregg, 75; Mrs Herbert Lawrence; Mrs. Anna J Tanner, 65; Mrs. Alice Manning; Mrs. Nellie Silva, Mrs. Effie Ross Mrs. H. J. Brayton, Miss Ida Angell, 62; Mrs. William Bemis Mrs. Baxter, Miss Gardiner, Miss Ingborg Swanson, Mrs. Merrill and Miss Emma Nelson.

MR. AND MRS. ADOLPH H. ENGLEHARDT

In applying for divorce from the "divine healer" Mrs. Englehardt of Providence names 123 women, among them one who is eighty-two years old, one of seventy-five and several in the sixties. She declares he tried to turn their home into a harum.

ALLOWS GARAGE IN OLD CAR BARN

Mayor Curley today approved the petition of the Phillips Petroleum Products Company to use the old horse car barn of the West End Street Railway, at Roxbury Crossing for a public garage. The building which is one of the landmarks of the Roxbury district, was foryears used by the old Trem'ont street line.

On account of the strong objections by neighbors against the creation of a garage at Washington and Glenarm streets, Dorchester, by Max Wellarst, Mayor Curley sustained the rejection of the street commissioners.

Trains in Russia Beat the N. H., Bishop Says

Bishop J. L. Nuelsen of the Methodist Churches in Russia, who is in Boston, spoke today of his delay on the New Haven road.

The trains to Petrograd and Moscow are furnishing good service and are on time," he said. "I have not found this true of many trains coming into Boston."

The bishop is carrying 16,000,000 rubles as he finds it impossible to exchange them for U. S. money.

HUNGRY BOY BEGS POLICE FOR AID

Fourteen-year-old Louis Fosores of Webster avenue, Cambridge, walked into the Somerville police station today, ragged, half frozen and hungry.

"Put me in a cell, any place where it is warm," he pleaded.

Upon investigation it was found that Louis had been away from home a week. His father is stern, he says. One day he was held up and robbed of the week's pay he had earned in an office on Beach street, Boston.

He reported the matter to the police of Station 4, but the thief couldn't be found and he went home minus the money. His father, he claims, scoffed at his tale and drove him out.

"I've been sleeping in doorways and begging ever since," said Louis. "Please help me."

LAWRENCE MAN IS GRANTED PARDON

A pardon was granted today by Governor Cox and the Governor's Council to David W. Fishman of Lawrence, who since February, 1920, has been serving a five-year sentence in Charlestown State Prison for breaking and entering a Lawrence garage and stealing an automobile.

Fishman changed the motor, put on new wheels and lights, brought the car to Boston and sold it for $260. Louis Freedman, alleged to have been in one the crime with him, defaulted from court and has not been captured. The auto theft law then imposed a minimum sentence of five years. Since that time the penalty has been reduced by law to one year.

KOSHER WURST CO. IN BANKRUPTCY CASE

Give Boy to Christmas Social Food.

The National Kosher Wurst Company of Chelsea has been petitioned into bankruptcy by Rabbi Isaiah Marcus of Chelsea, who has a claim of $5,000. Max Aronovitz and Jacob Salwen are two ther creditors. They claim $100 and $55.85 respectively, for wages. Creditors also petitioned Aaron Levine of Clinton into bankruptcy.

GILCHRIST CO

Even at the Last Minute— you'll find "just the right gift" here

For "Her"

Umbrellas, $10.00

One of the safest gifts we know, to please any young lady, would be a silk umbrella of her favorite color, with handles as fascinating as they are convenient.

Lined Gloves, $4.50

Gray, brown and black mocha, with wool lining that will keep mother's hands nice and warm.

Neckwear, $1.00

A dainty bit of lace to touch up mother's every-day dress would be a nice thoughtful suggestion.

Smoking Jackets, $9.75

Many evenings at home will be enjoyed if you give "him" one of this good-fitting, all-wool, double-faced plaid back jacketing.

Week-End Cases, $5.00

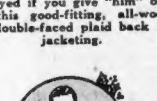
Enthusiastic planning starts when one has just received a smart black plain enamel or dull DuPont finish week-end case. Choice of 18, 20, 22-inch sizes.

Buntings, $5.00

For the doting aunt to give her tiny niece or nephew—a warm, self-lined bunting with hood, binding of pale pink or blue satin.

Jointed Dolls, $1.99

The dearest dolls ever! Blonde or brunette curly wigs, and eyes that open and shut.



Silk Shirts, $7.50

There are so many attractive patterns that even a "mere girl" can select one with assurance that it will be to his liking.

Handkerchiefs, 59c

Always a delightful and useful gift! Pure linen hand embroidered corners; wide or narrow hems, spoke hemstitching.

Italian Briar Pipes, $1.25

"Just what I wanted!" will be brother's remark when he receives one of these good-looking Italian briar pipes.

Mail Orders Filled

Japanese Quilts, $3.98

All the way from Far Japan come these dainty squares of delicate blue or pink silk with flowerlike embroidery. Very, very light weight, but as warm as they are pretty.

Console Sets, $5.98

Everyone who has seen these sets has been enthusiastic over them—gorgeously colored bowl and two candlesticks of artistic shape make set. Orange and black, or old rose and black.

Vases, $5.00

Rich, deep cut glass, in four attractive designs, 12-inch size.

Orange Bowls, $4.98

Candlesticks, Ea. $1.74

Silver plated, in the colonial style, 10 inches high, is a good gift suggestion.

Bath Mats, $2.00

Jacquard weave, in raised patterns; light blue, helio, yellow or other pretty colorings.

Vases, $7.98

Of the beautiful lustre ware, in various shapes and the most lustrous mellow coloring.

Silver Plated Sets, $7.98

Five pieces—sugar bowl, spoon holder, creamer, coffee pot and tray, in rich, plain pattern; this tea or coffee set would be a delightful gift.

Embroidered Cases, $1.69

For the guest room of one's intimate friend, we know you will choose a pair of these embroidered cases.

Table Cloths, $7.50

Mother appreciates things that make the home attractive. Why not an all-linen cloth, size 77x88 inches, neat floral designs.

Sweaters, $2.98

Ready for skating or any other outdoor sports when one has a slip-on all-wool sweater! Sizes for boys 4 to 15.

Umbrellas, $1.98

How important she will feel toting an umbrella her very own! Just the right size, of fast black cotton; odd little handles. Or silk at $3.98.

Mail Orders Filled

Fountain Pens, $2.50 Up

For his very own self, and perhaps school lessons will be done more quickly and neatly if he owns a fountain pen.

Mail Orders Filled

GILCHRIST CO.

WE GIVE LEGAL STAMPS

Hovey's BARGAIN BASEMENT

THE ROAD TO ECONOMY

Christmas Stationery

Thousands of boxes — various shapes and colors, some lined envelopes; 33 sheets of paper and envelopes

19c

Women's Quilted Satin Slippers

Many different colors

79c

A Sensational Event in Manufactured Ivory Toilet Pieces and Sets Made to Sell for More than Double These Prices

Hundreds and Hundreds of Pieces of Imitation

IVORY

Your choice of Plain or Inlaid Designs

Unusual Savings for Last-Minute Shoppers 39c to $3.95

Many Samples in the lot

43 Puff Boxes or Hair Receivers.....39c

39 Hair Receivers, Puff Boxes, Flower Vases..59c

126 Plain or Inlaid Mirrors, Hat or Clothes Brushes.....$1.00

56 Fine Bristle Inlaid Brushes.....$1.49

126 Inlaid or Shell Back Large Mirrors $1.95

Just 26 Women's 5-Piece Sets—Large mirror, brush and heavy comb..... $2.95

27 Unusual Women's 5-Piece Toilet Sets—Comb, brush and mirror, delicately inlaid with gold, combined with black, blue, or maroon..... $3.95

326 Combs 25c to 75c

Hundreds of Other Pieces Not Advertised

Reduced! Reduced!

HUNDREDS OF WONDERFUL DOLLS

10c to 95c

All kinds, all sizes, dressed and undressed; some slightly broken—many away below cost.

Last Call to Buy Gift BATH ROBES

Women's Famous "Beacon" Robes

Some with ribbon trimmed collars in the lot; all with cord girdles and pockets. Light and dark effects in flowers or figured patterns. "All have Beacon Labels."

$2.95

Extra Size Beacon Bathrobes $3.85

HOVEY'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Today

Blame Sudden Money
A Gorilla's Home
Wasted Motherhood
Gold and Coal

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity: Snow late tonight and Thursday; rising temperature; increasing east to south winds.
Sun rises at 7:00; sets at 4:15.
Moon sets at 6:10 p. m.
High tide at 12:14 a. m.; 12:39 p. m.
Temperature: Maximum, 11 at 1 a. m.; minimum, 6 at 7 a. m.; average, 10.
Light all vehicles at 4:45 p. m.

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CHARGES THAT COP IS A VICTIM OF 'SPITE'

TARGET OF "POLICE VENOM"

Counsel Raps the Comrades of Officer Accused of Attempted Attack on Woman

Police department "venom" was charged today by the defence for Patrolman Lawrence P. Cronin, suspended officer of Fields Corner station.

Cronin is on trial before Judge Dubuque and jury for alleged felonious attack on Mrs. Margaret E. Bowley, of Monadnock street, Dorchester, and larceny of $40 from her husband, Joseph Bowley.

The attempted attack and larceny took place the night of October 12, after the Bowley automobile had stalled on the Strandway. Cronin denies that he was the officer in the case.

The court was thronged with spectators in expectation of hearing Mrs. Bowley's own story, as the State charges, of how she was led down the road and subjected to an attempt to attack her.

CHARGES PREJUDICE.

Judge Dubuque announced, over the protest of defence counsel, that an evening session of trial would be held from 7 to 9 tonight and possibly on other evenings this week in order to expedite the case.

Attorney James E. O'Connell, in questioning police witnesses called by the State, attempted to show departmental prejudice against his client.

Deputy Police Superintendent Thomas Evans, who lives on Cronin's old route in Dorchester, was first witness. He told of going to Fields Corner station the morning of Oct. 14, seeing the Bowleys there and of Cronin being brought in. He said the Bowleys said Cronin was the man who took them from the Strandway to Savin Hill and later to their home.

"How was Cronin identified?" asked Attorney O'Connell in cross-examination.

"I asked Mrs. Bowley if he was the man."

Deputy Evans said he did not point at Cronin, nor did he whisper to Mrs Bowley before the identification.

Asked whether he did not know that at City Point station, Cronin was lined up with other officers for identification, Evans said he did not know the particulars. He said he arrested Cronin on suspicion and information before Mrs. Bowley had identified him.

NO WARRANT NEEDED.

When Attorney O'Connell asked whether Cronin was arrested without a warrant and Deputy Evans said that was the case Judge Dubuque remarked that a warrant was not necessary in such a charge as felonious assault; also what was the reason for this line of query, Attorney O'Connell said:

"Because I want to show the venom of the Police Department and get Cronin and this is the foundation for it."

Q.—You arrested Cronin on suspicion? A.—Yes, it was my duty. I

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Divorcee Who Asks Her Name Back

Hates Ex-Husband So Much She Wants Court to Let Her Change

MRS. MADELINE E. GRON.

MRS. GRON ASKS TO USE NAME OF FIRST MATE

Portland, Me., Dec. 20.—Mrs Madeline Ellen Gron, who was granted an absolute divorce here on Monday from Niels Gron, Danish diplomat, and conditional custody of their young son, asked her husband so that she wants freedom from his name.

Mrs. Gron will ask the Probate Court for permission to resume the surname of her first husband, Dr. Orl Stone, of Chicago, who died in 1918, resuming her own maiden name and calling herself "Mrs. Madeline Stone."

She is a sister of Edgar Lee Masters the poet, and a member of a prominent Illinois family.

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CHARGE TRIO INDUCED CLERK TO ROB BANK

Indictments alleging that Humphrey Lane, Robert L. Finn and a third party not yet arrested conspired to cause Paul Isaacson, former discount clerk of the Federal Trust Company, to embezzle $1,700 will be heard by Judge Bolster in Suffolk Superior Court on January 22, it was announced today. The charge of larceny of the money against Downey will be heard at the same time.

LIFER IS GIVEN PARDON BY GOVERNOR

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broke his grip, and he then struggled from the bed to the doorway of the bedroom, where he fell—dead from the effect of the knife thrust.

The man escaped. Both Mrs. Ericson and the woman in the apartment downstairs who saw his fleeing form in the darkness, said he was short and burly.

A few days later Nelson, short and burly, was arrested near Worcester. There was a stain of human blood on his shoes, which he tried to erase. He was unable to offer an alibi of his whereabouts on the night of the crime.

But he was a stranger to the section. He had shortly arrived from Sweden and was friendless and penniless. The jury found him guilty in the second degree.

On this circumstantial evidence Nelson went to Charlestown for life, always asserting his innocence of the crime.

Senator Christian Nelson, former Senator Robert M. Washburn, Dr. Hugo O. Peterson and Carl H. Lindbeck of Worcester today appealed to the Governor's Council to parole the man. The Swedish folk of Worcester, numbering 20,000, are largely interested in his case, they said.

When said they did not care to accuse his innocence of it. They wished to offer only the fact that he had been a model prisoner and had been sufficiently punished. They said the Swedish consul has agreed to deport him to Sweden as soon as he is liberated.

ASK FOR NEW MOHR TRIAL

Counsel for Negroes in Famous Providence Physician's Murder Acts

Providence, Dec. 20.—The famous Mohr murder was revived today when counsel for the negroes who were convicted of killing Dr. Charles F. Mohr opened arguments on their motion for a new trial.

Dr. Mohr was murdered in 1915 while en route from his Providence office to his home in Middletown. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr, and three negroes, G. W. Healis, Menry Spelman, and Victor Brown, were tried. Mrs. Mohr was acquitted and the negroes convicted.

Healis, who turned State's evidence, was released by the Attorney-General at the outbreak of the war and permitted to enlist.

Spelman died in State prison two years ago. The murder of Dr. Mohr attracted no little attention because of his wide practice among Newport society women.

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CURLEY MOVES TO CUT COUNTY EXPENSE

A bill that would compel Chelsea, Winthrop and Revere to pay a share of Suffolk County expenses will be introduced in the Legislature by Mayor Curley. For many years the communities have opposed such a treasure. Budget Commissioner Charles J. Fox pointed out to the Mayor that had they accepted the bill in the first place they would only be paying 4.125 per cent., while with assessed valuations ever increasing, their share now will amount to 5.27 per cent.

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TEST SANITY OF FILM MURDER "WITNESS"

Toledo, O., Dec. 20.—Police today are holding John Marazino, twenty-three, for examination both as to his sanity and his story that he knows who murdered William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, in Hollywood, Cal., a year ago.

Marazino was arrested after he had entered a dwelling house and asked to be hidden, declaring that he was marked for assassination and was driven out of California by members of the "dope ring," who knew that he knew who killed Taylor.

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FIERCE GALE LASHES ENGLISH CHANNEL

London, Dec. 20.—A terrific gale lashing the English Channel and coast country has caused a suspension of channel traffic and demoralization of telephone and telegraph communication. Air service lines between London and Paris are not attempting to maintain schedules. Many deep sea steamers have put back into port, fearing to brave the gale.

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FASCISTI TO BECOME NATIONAL MILITIA

Rome, Dec. 20 (By the Associated Press).—Plans for transforming the militant Fascisti into "The Militia for National Safety" are in the hands of Premier Mussolini.

The new militia will be independent from but will work in unison with the police force.

Only 70,000 men will be allowed to join at first. The officers will be nominated by royal decree. In case of war the new militia will form an

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LEAVES ESTATE TO HIS HOUSEKEEPER

Edward Lyon of Wellesley willed his homestead and all his estate, valued at about $25,000 to his housekeeper, Mary Dempsey, with the exception of the following bequests: Glover Home and Hospital, Needham; Leonard Morse Hospital, Natick, and Newton Hospital $5,000 each and Liberty Lodge of Odd Fellows $1,000.

BEAUDREAU DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Assistant of Attorney-General Allen Temporary Successor to Late E. P. Saltonstall

Governor Cox today appointed Attorney Raoul H. Beaudreau, of Marlboro, as District-Attorney of Middlesex County to succeed the late Endicott P Saltonstall.

Beaudreau, a former city solicitor of Marlboro and Charles F Choate, Jr., son of the New Haven's attorney, were among those who, at that meeting, joined with Beaudreau in their attack on the road's service.

WILL SERVE TILL JANUARY 3.

Beaudreau will serve as district attorney until January 3, when District Attorney-elect Arthur K. Reading will take office. Beaudreau's appointment was immediately confirmed by the Governor's Council, which suspended the rules in order that he could fill the office without delay.

Assistant Attorney-General Charles R. Cabot of Newton, was placed in temporary charge of the office earlier in the day. He filled the place until the formal appointment of Beaudreau.

Funeral services for Mr. Saltonstall will be held at the First Unitarian Church of Brookline, Walnut street, tomorrow, at 11 a. m.

He died suddenly from an attack of phlebitis at his home, No. 245 Chestnut Hill road in the Chestnut Hill district last night. The end came unexpectedly, after the District Attorney had been slightly ill for five weeks.

Had he lived until Christmas Day he would have been fifty years old.

Mr. Saltonstall was a member of one of the families in Boston. He was graduated from Harvard Law School in 1897 and thereafter served as Alderman in Newton, and acted as trial attorney for the Boston Elevated.

He entered partnership with Charles W. Blood and for ten years had been his partner under the firm name of Saltonstall & Blood. He was appointed district attorney to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Nathan A. Tufts in October, 1921.

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TURKEYS CHEAPER FOR CHRISTMAS

Superintendent Patrick J. Graham in a report filed today with Mayor Curley stated that the price of turkeys will be about 15 cents a pound cheaper than at Thanksgiving time.

"Why did you shoot your husband?" asked the Judge: "Poisons is so uncertain," said Cordelia. "Not Guilty," said the Jury. Read Ring Lardner's amusing one act farce

in JANUARY

Cosmopolitan

at newsstands

Watch Your Step!

Boston's getting to be a regular city—getting real traffic signal machines patterned after those they have in "the big town." Patrolman Coughlin of the Traffic Squad operates the one at Washington and Summer streets. Snappy, what?

CIVILIANS HELD FOR GRAFT

Alleged Stealing of Stores in Brooklyn Yard Going on for Months

New York, Dec. 20.—Twenty-two civilian employes at the Brooklyn navy base were arrested today on indictments returned several months ago by a Federal Grand Jury, charging that Government property to the value of more than $1,000,000 had been stolen since the

The arrests were made by agents of the Department of Justice, who took the prisoners to the Brooklyn Federal building in army motor trucks.

The grand jurors indicted twenty-three men after its investigation of the alleged wholesale thefts, which the authorities said included clothing, oil and various other materials used at the navy base.

The investigation has been under way for months. The Navy Intelligence Service undertook to find out the cause for the discrepancies between the inventories and the stock supposed to be on hand, but the thieves apparently knew who they were.

William J. Burns of the Department of Justice ordered Edward J. Brennan, head of the bureau's New York office to assist operators.

Brennan consulted Police Commissioner Enright and borrowed the services of Detective Francis Trainor.

Under the direction of Federal Agents Robert Walsh and Ralph Navarro and Lieutenant Trainor men were put into the warehouses as checkers, laborers watchmen and bookkeepers. These detectives found themselves watched narrowly until they took advantages of opportunities obviously put in their way of stealing small articles, such as wrist watches and marine glasses.

Not until they actually concealed these articles and pretended to steal them were they able to get any evidence against the men now in custody.

LEXINGTON NURSE IN AUTO SPILL

Miss Anna French, a district nurse, flivvered along Massachusetts avenue in her little coupe. Near Pelham road, Lexington, it skidded, then skated on two wheels and then flopped on its side. Miss French crawled out a window and tipped the Henry back right [illegible] passing men shovelled it out of the snow so she could drive to her home, No. 16 Waltham street, Lexington.

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MOHR'S LIES GOT CONFESSED SLAYER IN TROUBLE, WIFE ASSERTS

HUSBAND NEVER HAD 'DOPE'

Former Actress Blames Brunen Family for Powell's Present Plight

By Mrs. Charles "Marie" Powell, (Wife of Charles M. Powell, who confessed he killed John Brunen, circus owner, and has assisted the State on the witness stand in the Brunen trial.)

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Mount Holly, N. J., Dec. 20.—First, I want everybody to know that I am not a carnival girl. When I married Charlie in St. Louis, two and a half years ago, I had been playing in a musical comedy. Of course, after I married I was forced to associate with those people, but when Charlie gets out I never want either of us to see them again.

I love Charlie. I love him more than anything else in the world, unless it is our babies, and I know that if it were not for those people and the lies Harry Mohr told him he would never have gotten into this trouble.

Who, if not a man's wife, should know his nature?

And I know that Charlie is at heart the best man on earth. Charlie will never think of shows after he gets out. Bessie Mohr lied when she said my Charlie used dope. He never did. He drank whiskey but that is not dope.

THANKS TOWN FOLKS.

Charlie was arrested on April 6. I came to Mount Holly three weeks after he was arrested and have been here ever since. I can never say how good the folks in this town have been to me. But even then, it has been hard.

I worked in a restaurant here until six weeks before my second baby was born. I received seven dollars a week and five of that went to care for our baby. Then when our baby was born I could not work.

But I would do no more than that—I would do anything for Charlie. There has not been a day since I have been here that I have not been able to see him for a little while and encourage him, and that made life worth while to me.

SAYS MOHR IS A BEAST.

Harry Mohr is a beast. He lied when he said he kept me in Indianapolis when my first baby was born. Indianapolis is my home and Charlie's also.

And some day, when this is all over, we will go back there or somewhere else where we can be at peace and forget. Charlie may have to serve time. I expect that but I will wait, and Charlie will build up a home and start life anew.

He will succeed, I know it.

237-Mile Railroad in Illinois Wants to Abandon Line

Washington, Dec. 20 (By International News Service).—Application was made today to the Interstate Commerce Commission by the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis Railroad asking for authority to abandon its entire line of railroad, comprising 237 miles.

The application stated that since the road's return from Federal control it has been operating at a heavy loss and now has assessed against it $20,000 in taxes by the State of Illinois, which it is unable to pay.

Radio Program

WGI, MEDFORD.

6:00—"Wool Market News," a weekly review of the wool industry by the Commercial Bulletin of Boston.

6:30—Boston police reports, Boston Police Headquarters.

7—Late news flashes, early sport news, Boston American.

8:45—"Family Circle," conducted by Hazel Sparkle Compston.

9:15 P. M.—Broadcast direct from Jordan Hall, New England Conservatory of Music. Program: Symphony numbers seventy-five, Mr. Wallace Goodrich, conductor. Soloists, Mr. Theodore Adamowski, Mr. F. Morse Wemple of the faculty. Miss Mary Madden (Class of 1922).

1. "Prelude to Hansel and Gretel," Humperdinck. 2. "Petite Suite," "En bateau," Debussy. 3. "Menuet," "Ballet," Debussy. 4. "Jesu, joy of man's desiring," Bach-Adamowski. 5. "By a Lake in Russia" (MS), Balantine. 6. "Symphonic Variations for piano-forte and orchestra," Franck. Miss Madden. 7. Two songs for baritone and orchestra (MS.), "Refrigerator," T. Hatch, Warren Story Smith, Mr. Wemple. 7. "By the Beautiful Blue Danube," Johann Strauss. 8. "Overture to Rienzi," Wagner.

WNAC, BOSTON.

No evening program. WNAC will stand by from 9:30 to 11:00 p. m. to order to allow Arend Wolf to complete their broadcast uninterrupted.

WGY, SCHENECTADY.

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6:00—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURGH

6:45 P. M.—Special dinner concert by KDKA Little Symphony Orchestra, Victor Saudek director.

7:15—News. Tri-weekly letter from Farm and Home.

7:30—Bedtime story for the children.

7:45—Summary of the iron and steel industries. Summary of the New York stock Exchange.

8:00—Modern and practical home-furnishing hints. Timely and interesting facts for agriculturist.

8:30—Gaul's "Holy City," by the vested choir of the First End Christian Church, with full orchestra accompaniment, will be broadcasted direct from the First end Christian Church.

WJZ, NEWARK

7:55—"Iron and Steel Review."

8:00—Musical program.

9:00—"Animal Stories," by Florence Smith Kroll, author of the "Peter's Adventures" Book.

9:05—"The Business Outlook" by Dr. Warren Hickernell, Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York.

9:10—Ampico Series of Distinguished Artists' Concerts, furnished by courtesy of William Knabe and Company.

Internationally known pianists will participate in this series, together with equally famous violinists and Metropolitan Opera House vocalists. Though it is as yet impossible to give the full list of those soloists who will definitely perform, attention can already be called to a partial one which includes such names as Leo Ornstein, Erno Dohnanyi, Arthur Schnabel, Mieczyslaw Muss, Hans Barth, Henry Souvaine, Phillip Gordon, John Duke, Alexander Gunn and Milton Suskind. Daisy Jean, well known Reading artist, is also definitely promised.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD—400 METERS.

7:30 p. m.—Bedtime Story. Market reports.

7:45—"Your Health and the Other Fellows," by Merrill E. Champion, M. D., director, Division Hygiene, Massachusetts Department of Public Health. Late news from the Iron Age.

8:00—Concert by Mrs. Marie R. Obrey, mezzo-soprano; Miss Anna Tyce, soprano; Mrs. Wales Baldwin, contralto; Miss Elizabeth Nims and Mrs. Helen B. King, pianists.

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BANDITS HOLD UP BACK BAY STORE

Two bandits entered a delicatessen store at No. 24, St. Mary's street, Back Bay, at midnight, thrust a gun at the head of Harry Goodwin, the proprietor, and escaped with $80, which they took from the till. Goodwin could not give a detailed description, saying they were of slight build, smooth shaven and clad in light overcoats and gray caps.

ARBUCKLE IS REINSTATED BY HAYS

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company which had Arbuckle under contract, convinced that he would never be able to come back as a star, had destroyed his latest picture before releasing it. The master negative of the film, it was reported, had been done away with.

In view of that report the action of Mr. Hays comes as a surprise not only to the motion picture public, but to those on the inside of the business.

BACK FROM THE ORIENT.

Arbuckle recently returned from the Orient, whence he had gone to recuperate from the trying ordeal he had undergone.

Hays has been here for some time. It was thought, however, that the principal object of his visit was to look into reports to the effect that Hollywood had become the centre of a hectic trade in drugs. The condition of Wallie Reid, said to have almost come to his death as a result of the use of narcotics, focused the attention of the film arbiter on the matter.

Shortly after the death of the beautiful film actress and artist's model, when formal accusation was made against Arbuckle, his pictures were biased in various parts of the country, and an organized move was made to bar him from movie theatres.

WIFE BY HIS SIDE.

A sensational feature of the Arbuckle-Rappe case was the reconciliation of "Fatty" with his wife, Minta Durfee, who came to the coast from New York after an estrangement of years to take her place at the side of her husband and to help him in his trial.

Following Arbuckle's acquittal, Mrs. Arbuckle left Los Angeles and returned to New York. Shortly thereafter the fat comic took his trip to the Orient. Mrs. Arbuckle denied rumors that her leaving the coast city was due to another estrangement. She insisted her trip to New York was made necessary by business matters.

After the first of the year, it is stated, the ban will be completely lifted and Arbuckle may again face the Kreig lights and caper as of yore.

FORTUNE WRECKED.

The legal defence of the corpulent actor not only wrecked his own private fortune, but bit deeply into the funds of the interests who put out his pictures.

CHARGES 'DOPE' RING IN MAINE

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threatened him with imprisonment, also with newspaper publicity.

The next day Dyson said, Dr. Tozer told him Frye had him "slated for $1,000," but that $200 would do. Dr. Dyson said he paid $200 to Dr. Tozer.

Dr. Tozer, co-defendant, testified that one physician, who is alleged to have been approached for "hush money," has been taking seven grains of morphine daily for years.

Another physician, witness said, who is alleged to have paid large sums of money to escape prosecution, uses twenty grains daily.

$20 WORTH A DAY.

At current rates charged by street peddlers of "dope" this means $20 a day.

Dr. Dyson testified that a prominent Portland clergyman uses from five to six grains of morphine daily. Testifying about Frye, Dr. Dyson said:

"Frye painted a picture of Atlanta prison before my eyes. I considered that my violation was only technical inasmuch as I had neglected to keep a proper record of the amount of morphine prescribed to a local minister and I told him so.

"He told me that men had gone to Atlanta for less. He then said that a story in the Boston American to the effect that a prominent Portland physician had violated the drug law and that a well-known minister was an addict, would not look nice in print.

ASKED $200.

"I asked Frye if I had better see the district attorney about it. He told me not to and said that he could find another way. He then left."

Dr. Dyson then explained that Dr. Tozer called him up the next day and as a result of his urgent call went to see him.

"Tozer explained to me that Frye had told me of my violation. He said that I was guilty as I had left off dates in my record relative to prescriptions for morphine and that I had not tapered off the minister's supply.

"He also pointed out to me that I had a good reputation and that I surely did not want to be named in a newspaper exposure. He said that there would be some fees to pay and said that $200 would straighten the matter out.

Q.—Was anything said about a larger sum? A.—He told me that Frye had slated me for $1,000, but because of my friendship for Dr. Tozer it would cost only $200.

Q.—Did you pay the money? A.—Yes.

Q.—Was anything said about a check? A.—Yes. I asked if my check would do, and I was told that a check wasn't necessary, and that cash would be much better. I paid it in gold and bills.

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HAMILTON GIVEN HIS FREEDOM

Judge Pondick in Suffolk Superior Court today granted Frank S. Hamilton freedom from his thrice-married wife, May B. Hight-Hamilton of No. 33 Manchester road, Brookline.

Hamilton sued her for divorce on the charge of cruel and abusive treatment. He described his wife as "Alimony May Hamilton," because of the fact that she had secured two divorces with alimony from previous husbands. He said, "I treated her to this one."

His wife had smashed milk bottles over his head, smashed his mouth with her fist, and ruined his clothes. He secured his wife through an advertisement.

GETS JAIL TERM FOR BEATING HIS WIFE

Charles T. Hunt of No. 32 Dean street, Roxbury, was given a two months' suspended sentence today, when found guilty in Roxbury court of beating his wife, Lolia Hunt. The alleged attack took place on November 29. Mrs. Hunt said her husband choked her and beat her with his fists. She is now living at 19 Chisholm street, Everett.

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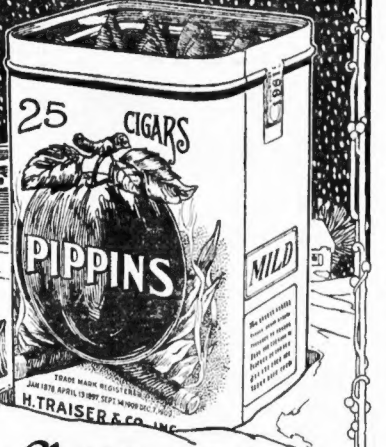

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"SABOTAGE" BLAMED BY NEW HAVEN OFFICIALS FOR DELAYS

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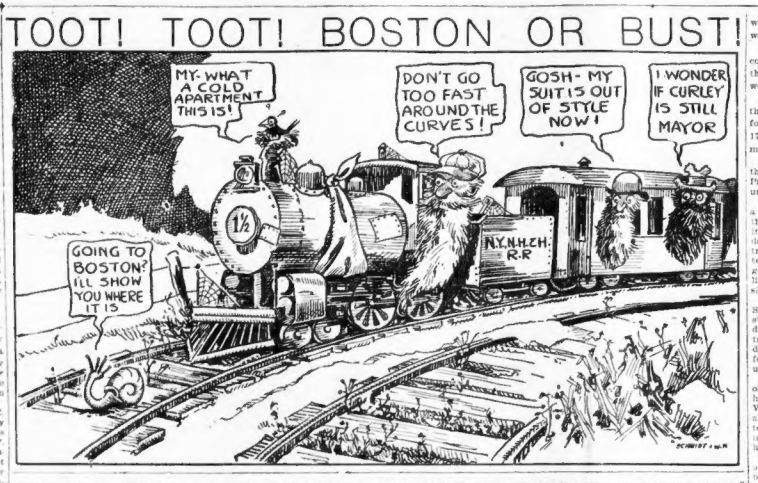
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rere crowded, as usual. Many men rere standing up, had been standing hr half an hour before the train started. A hot discussion of ways ind means of remedying matters ended just as the conductor entered.

"Tickets, please."

Nobody moved. The conductor asked inquiringly at those nearest him and repeated his request. Still lo action.

Then someone informed him that, in a protest against the New Haven railway's poor service, no one was going to give up his ticket.

The conductor besieged and pleaded He got up on a seat and made a speech. It availed nothing. The commuters listened politely, but stuck to their purpose.

And that was the way the matter ended, too. The harrassed official did manage to take the names of a few of those nearest him, but that was as far as he got. Not one ticket did he punch in that car.

PROTEST, NOT EVASION.

All of the men on the car, it is believed, had already bought their tickets. They were not getting a ride for nothing. They were merely taking the only means in their power to protest against the execrable service they have been getting.

Meanwhile, General Manager C. L. Bardo of the New Haven Railway was pouring oil on troubled waters at Brockton, where he and A. P. Russell, Vice-president of the Boston division, attended a protest meeting arranged by the Chamber of Commerce and city administration.

A deputation of Brockton citizens rose and begged him to see to it that some sort of improvement be made on the 5:42 p.m. train for Brockton from Boston. This train was invariably late, they said, never having been known to leave the South Station on time. It was always delayed en route, they continued, losing time behind local trains all the way.

BLAMES SABOTAGE.

Mr. Bardo promised to do what he could. Then he said that, while service now is not all it ought to be, conditions are bound to improve. He predicted that in a few months everything will be running as smoothly as it was in June of this year.

Sabotage on the part of former employes of the road was blamed by Mr. Bardo for most of its troubles. He declared that these men are pouring emery dust into the bearings on the coaches and removing parts from the locomotives. Hundreds of pieces of equipment have been put out of commission in this manner, he said.

He also blamed the inferior quality of coal which the New Haven must use now, saying that it did not furnish motive power enough. He said that locomotives are gradually being restored to service, and promised that there would be no more labor troubles.

Trainmen today came to the defence of their striking brothers whom Bardo accused.

"Sabotage!" declared one irate engineer. "The fools inside are all against us and everyone. How can we make steam with the engines falling apart? I've got ten leaking valves in this old boiler and cant get them fixed."

Another engineer declared: "Throwing emery in the gears? Huh! Removing parts from the locomotive? Huh! Let me tell you, mister, there isn't any one has to remove parts of these engines. The parts just naturally remove themselves. Just take a walk along the irons and see how many parts you can pick up in a mile walk."

Robert Henderson, secretary and treasurer of the System Federation of New York, New Haven & Hartford Shop Employes, said:

"The charge is absurd, as all running equipment is heavily guarded, and the striking employes could not get near enough to commit any sabotage if they wanted to fight that way."

One of the causes of the frequent derailments on the system, according to Henderson, is sharp flanges on the car and locomotive wheels and inefficient shopmen.

New Haven officials at the South Station today showed consideration for passengers on one of its trains. At 8:20 hundreds waiting at the gate for the 8:29 train to Newport and way stations were told that the train was late in backing in.

Announcers told the patrons they could go into the waiting room and the time of the train's departure would be announced there.

At 8:30 an announcer appeared in the waiting room. "The 8:29 train for Newport is now ready on track 17," he bellowed. The passengers made a wild rush for it.

Meanwhile, complaints are made that the New Haven is leaving its Park street crossing, in Dorchester, unguarded, while trains go by.

At 8:24 a. m. Monday, it was said, a train whizzed by the crossing and the gates remained open. No crossing tender was in sight. On Sundays when there are no passenger trains on the Shawmut branch, the tender is off duty, but work trains go by occasionally, endangering the lives of motorists who have occasion to go over the crossing.

The chronic congestion at the South Station, due to the delays in starting all trains, continues to draw protests from indignant patrons of the road. Passengers are daily jammed on the narrow platforms and kept waiting many minutes by unexplainable delays.

Luckless Bostonians who are obliged to take their Christmas holiday trips to New York or the West via the New Haven Railroad are now adding their plaintive wails to those which are consistently being voiced by the commuters, who have to use the road every day.

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Providence	7:31	:16
Plymouth	7:53	:15
Norwood	7:03	:18
Mattapan	7:20	:17
West Roxbury	7:24	:09
Brockton	8:05	:22
North Abington	7:53	:30
Cohasset	8:15	:14
Mattapan	8:26	:03
Fall River (boat trains)	8:30	:35
Newport	8:30	:40
Braintree	8:22	:08
Dedham	8:15	:12
Braintree	8:00	:28
Brockton	7:32	:15

OUTGOING.

	Due to start.	Late starting H.M.
Newport	8:20	:15
New York	8:30	:05

ADD INCOMING LATE TRAINS

South Braintree	8:28	:14
Needham	8:33	:18
Dedham	8:37	:18
Quincy	8:41	:05
Dedham	8:53	:16
Mattapan	9:14	:12
Pittsburgh	8:52	Reptd. 2:20
Weymouth	8:35	:21
Cohasset	8:40	:20
Campello	8:43	:17

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Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings
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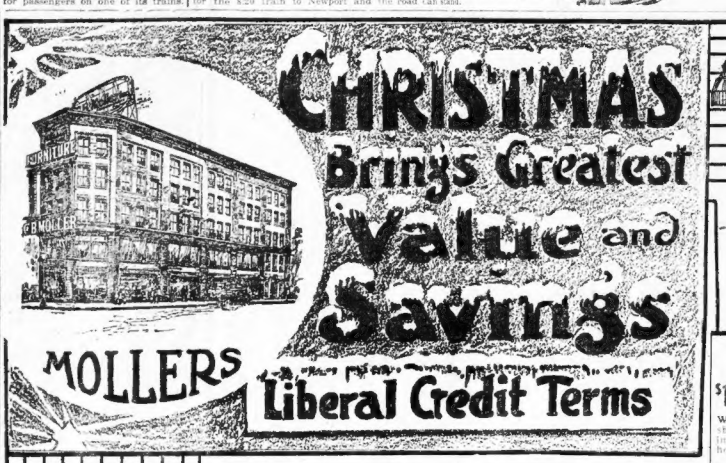

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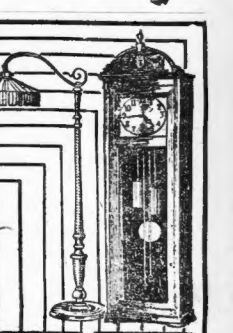

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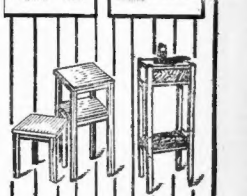

Solid Mahogany SPINET DESK $37.50
An excellent reproduction. Highly rare. Solid mahogany, dainty lines. A wonderful gift.

Willow Chair $12
With cushions—also arm rocker, including back and seat cushions of cretonne faced on both sides.

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An accurate reproduction, substantially made and upholstered in good-wearing denim.

Telephone Stands $5.50
Enamel or golden oak, hair, under shelf for phone book.

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Imitation mahogany, glass tray, cigar and match - box holder.

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AUBREY BROWN DIES AT ST. JOHN, N. B.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 20—Aubrey Brown, for many years proprietor of the late Judge Halliburton, author of Sam Slick," known to New England tourists, is dead. He had been a patient at St. John Infirmary since August. He is survived by his wife, a daughter of Loui Lodge, Digby, and

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ROLLINS BOY'S FATE IS UP TO JURY

The fate of Robert Rollins, brother of Charles and George, the convicted murderers, will be decided by Superior Court [illegible] Tuesday afternoon, when Foreman [illegible] Gentleman hands [illegible] accused of robbery and assault and battery on Walter Billig and Thomas Josephs in an Upham's Corner lunch room on August 26.

In summing up, Frank S. Deland, assistant district attorney trying the case, inferred that he believed he defendants should be discharged, for he said the charges "went out the window" if certain depositions introduced were true.

The prosecution introduced, during the trial, evidence to show that this brother bore equally as unsavory a reputation as did his two older brothers before they were jailed for murder.

To this the nineteen-year-old prisoner replied: "It's persecution, not prosecution."

Frequently he has alleged that the police had "picked" him because Charles and George had been found guilty of the slaying of Ordway P. Hall and William Foley, both tea store managers, during holdups

Charles Rollins

Convicted Slayer

GEORGE ROLLINS.

'OLIVER TWIST' SPECIAL SHOW FOR CHILDREN

THERE has been such a demand for an opportunity for children to see Jackie Coogan in Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "Oliver Twist" at Tremont Temple at prices within their spending money means that the management has decided to give a children's special morning performance Saturday of this week at 10:30 o'clock.

Jackie Coogan

At this performance the children will see Jackie Coogan in his greatest film characterization achievement, young Oliver who cried for "more" in the workhouse, learned from Fagin to pick pockets, walked the most squalid streets of London in rags, lived in the dens of thieves, and finally came into his rightful surroundings of comfort and luxury.

Special prices for the children will be in force at this morning matinee.

SCENIC LUXURY.

ONE of the most remarkably beautiful scenes ever screened has been filmed at Cosmopolitan Productions' studio as a part of the forthcoming super special, "The Enemies of Women" from the story by Hanez, author of "The Four Horsemen." It is the interior of the Russian palace of Prince Lubimoff, the chief character in the story impersonated by Lionel Barrymore, during a wild revel just prior to the revolution in Petrograd.

Joseph Urban, celebrated scenic artist, has fashioned a set that for sheer magnificence has probably never before been equalled. It is supposed to exemplify the utter extravagance of the aristocracy in Russia and the total disregard for expense while the populace starved.

APPEARS 1,128 TIMES.

LAURETTE TAYLOR has returned to New York from Hollywood, having completed before the Metro camera the last instalment of her famous role in "Peg o' My Heart," the celebrated stage play by J. Hartley Manners. Under the direction of King W. Vidor, Mr. Manners, husband of Miss Taylor, served in the advisory capacity during the production of the photoplay and accompanied his wife on the trip. Also in the part was Madame Nazimova, star of stage and screen plays.

The celluloid version of the international success of play marks the 1,128th time that Miss Taylor has appeared in the role.

THREE LEADING MEN

HERE'S a picture with three leading men. "Vanity Fair," called by Thackeray a "novel without a hero," has Harrison Ford, George Walsh and Earle Foxe in leading roles opposite Mabel Ballin, who plays Becky Sharp. Harrison Ford has played lover to such beautiful women as Norma and Constance Talmadge and Gloria Swanson; Earle Foxe has shared final fadeouts with Alice Joyce, Irene Hardon, Norma Talmadge, Blanche Sweet and Florence Reed. George Walsh was starred in a number of productions and has been paired on the screen with Theda Bara, Miriam Cooper, Ann Luther and Wanda Hawley.

WOULD ABOLISH SHIPPING BOARD

(By International News Service.)

Washington, Dec. 20.—Transfer of the Government's billion dollar shipping business to the Department of Commerce with elimination of the United States Shipping Board and its auxiliary organization was proposed today by Senator King of Utah in a bill introduced in the Senate.

Adoption of the plan would make Secretary Hoover the director general of ships, a post similar to that of director general of railroads during the war, and would give him complete control of the Government's shipping.

——Give How to Christmas Basket Fund——

NEW HAMPSHIRE PLAYHOUSE SAFE LOOTED

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 20.—A safe cracker, believed to be the one responsible for three theatre robberis in Lawrence and perhaps one in Boston, chiselled the combination from the safe of the Colonial Theatre and stole $160 today.

The method employed in all the preceding theatre robberies was the same.

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Christmas Cards	5c to 1.00
Eversharp Pencils	50c to 12.00
Fountain Pens—Parker, Waterman Moore, John Hancock, Sheaffer, Dunn, Wahl, Onoto	2.50 to 15.00
Opera and Field Glasses	6.00 to 130.00
Kodaks and Brownies	2.00 to 100.00
Ever-ready Flash Lamps	1.00 to [illegible]
Thermometers	75c to [illegible]
Barometers	2.00 to [illegible]

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Vose Upright	$80	Steinberg Upright	$85	Small Upright	$25
Ivers & Pond Upright	$75	Prescott Upright	$175	Emerson Ang's Player	$250
Doll & Sons Upright	$250	Chickering Upright	$70	Kranich & Bach	$130
Knabe Upright	$80	Kranich & Bach Upright	$80	Chickering Upright	$127
				Hallet & Davis Player	$305

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HUNGRY CHILDREN PLEAD FOR CHRISTMAS AID

With Christmas only five days away the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund finds it impossible to meet all the requests for food that have been received from needy families in Greater Boston.

There have never been so many calls for food during the nine years' existence of the fund. More than 500 letters a day have been received during the past ten days, principally from tired mothers and their underfed children, asking for assistance.

There is still time for action. If you want to help out in this great work send in your contribution NOW so that we may have time in which to act. Enough food to feed 27,000 people has already been ordered from the Cobb, Bates & Yerxa Company. More parcels will be ordered if sufficient money is forthcoming.

A total of 3,800 parcels of substantial food, each containing enough food to feed a family of eight persons, will be distributed next Saturday beginning at noon from the wholesale warehouse of the Cobb, Bates & Yerxa Company at No. 222 Summer Street, opposite South Station. If you desire to have this order increased, NOW is the time to act.

PRIZE WALTZ.

Hundreds of dancers are expected to attend the State Theatre Ballroom on Massachusetts avenue tonight, as the entire net proceeds will be devoted to the American's Fund. One of the features of the evening bill will be a prize waltz. The young man and woman who are declared winners will be awarded an oriental pearl necklace with a diamond clasp and a gold pen and pencil set. Manager Art Spaulding has planned to have several vaudeville celebrities present to entertain the throng of dancers.

Among the feature dancers will be Tommy and Mary Heffernan, who will give a demonstration of the society glide. Mr. Heffernan and his sister are widely known ballroom entertainers and have a host of friends throughout New England. Lambert's twelve-piece orchestra will play for dancing.

Five hundred additional packets of Salada Tea have been contributed for the American's Christmas parcels through the kindness of the officials of the Salada Tea Company. Absolute cleanliness is one of the features in the handling of Salada Tea. From the moment it is plucked from the bushes on the sunny mountain slopes of Ceylon until it reaches the tea cup of the consumer, minute care is taken to insure cleanliness.

BAKERS' KINDNESS.

Frank R. Shepard, vice-president of the General Baking Company, is taking an unusual interest in the American's effort to feed the needy at Christmas. Mr. Shepard has arranged to place one loaf of freshly baked Food Bread in each of the parcels that this newspaper will distribute to destitute families next Saturday afternoon. These loaves will be full sized and of regulation material. They will add materially to the other articles that the parcel will contain.

The Lillian F. Brown Revue are aiding the fund by special performances in Codman Square Theatre, Dorchester. This has been done through the courtesy of Ray S. Averill, manager of this popular house. After giving the special performances the girls who comprise the Revue have made collections in aid of the fund. Those who form the Revue are Evelyn Hamm, Ruth Grady, Alice Jones, Doris Canavan, prises, the most ambitious undertaking of Douglas Fairbanks.

All seats are reserved and tickets for Friday are going fast. Make your reservations now at the box office and gratify a two-fold desire, for everyone wants to see this film and everyone wants to be charitable on Christmas Day.

The telephone operators of Boston are arranging a big party for tomorrow evening in Lerner's Ballroom, No. 345 Massachusetts avenue. They expect a large attendance as they are vitally interested in doing their bit to feed needy children at Christmas. Professor Lerner will give free use of his new up-to-date ballroom for the affair and Bob Sawyer and his clever colored serenaders will play for general dancing. In addition an excellent entertainment has been arranged. Among the girls who are assisting in making the party a success are Katherine Clougherty, Lillian Card, Katherine Tobin, Dolly Nolan, Winifred Fitzgerald, Frances McCarthy from the Main exchange, Irene Collins from Back Bay exchange, Laura Nolan from Beach, Helen Cuff, toll operator, and Frances Collins, inKatherine Cutter, Grace Freeman, Grace Delapola, Lillian Neilson, Elena Dwyer and Evelyn Kelley.

The substantial sum of $145 was contributed to the fund as the result of a candy sale held by the pupils of the Dorchester High School. The money was sent to the American by Helen F. Keefe, faculty adviser of that popular school. Miss Keefe wrote: "We trust that your appeal for funds has met with favorable response."

PLAN PLAYLET.

The pupils of Miss Eileen R. Feeney's dancing classes from Ledham, Norwood and Walpole will take part in a Christmas playlet in aid of the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund. The play will be given in Social Hall, Norwood, Saturday.

The leading parts will be taken by Rose Riley, Catherine O'Brien, Julia Lydon, Evelyn Phalen, Claire Riley and Phyllis Millison of Norwood; Lauretta Buchan, Helen Schortmann, Ethel McGrath, Marion Butler, Ruth Wood of Dedham; Dorothy Gannon, Gertrude Downey Dorothy Trudo, Ethel Donohue and Rita Gingrese of Walpole.

Contributions follow:

Boston American	$1,000.00
Previously acknowledged	3,823.00
Additional from Tag Day	807.10
Penny Trust collection	46.83
A Friend	.15
John F. Cassary	5.00
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D. J.	2.00
Arthur	1.00
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Francis O'Brien	.10
Knights of St. Thos Barry Cochesse's Association	10.00
Employes of Donovan Motor Car Co.	27.00
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T. W. C.	50.00
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Mrs. M. M. Casey	1.00
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A friend, Joseph F. Reardon	10.00
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L. H. B.	1.00
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Donna Tagliotie	1.00
A Friend	1.00
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N. J. Newman	1.00
Liddle M.	.50
Elisha Robbins	5.00
Total	$7,694.79

ALL WORK FOR SUCCESS OF CHRISTMAS FUND

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Photo by Bachrach Studio.

APPEAR IN FUND BENEFITS

Lucy and Grace Babin and Marjorie Foster (lower left), conducted a dancing party in Obert's bungalow, Mattapan, in aid of the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund. Kay Corbett (centre), danced in the vaudeville show in the Cross St. Orpheum, Somerville. Marion Farrell (oval at top) and Alice E. Webb of Brookline (below), are also doing their bit for the Fund.

Record Crowd Expected at "Robin Hood" Friday

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS' generous response to the plea in behalf of Boston's needy, by announcing that 50 per cent. of the net profits taken in at the Park Theatre next Friday for both performances of "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood," has met with the thanks of those who will look to the Boston American for their Christmas dinner.

At the theatre where this wonder film is playing to capacity attendances daily, the advance demand for tickets indicates that next Friday's attendances will mark the greatest crowds in the history of the theatre. Never before has a motion picture production attracted so much attention as this colossal cinema entertainment.

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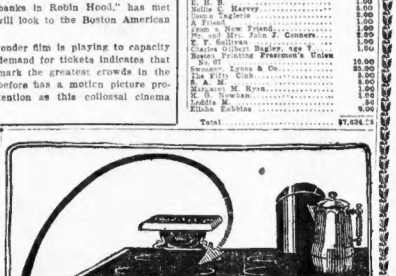

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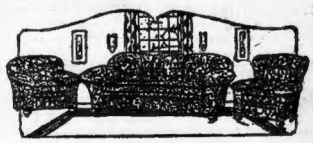

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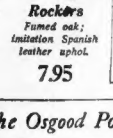

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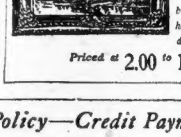

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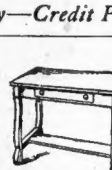

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CAR DERAILED IN MORNING RUSH

Hundreds of persons were forced to walk today when a service car was derailed on Commonwealth avenue, a short distance beyond Kenmore station.

Traffic was tied up on the Commonwealth avenue, Newton and Brighton and Watertown lines for more than twenty minutes during the morning rush.

The cause of the derailment is unknown, but the Elevated officials will investigate.

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Four Dead in Crash

Port Arthur, Texas, Dec. 20.—Four persons were killed and another was slightly injured here early today, when a street car struck a truck.

Tires of Tattooed Arm, Lets Train Cut It Off

Newark, N. J., Dec. 20.—Tired of a brightly tattooed figure of a woman on his right arm, James J. Scanlon of Shenandoah, Pa., placed his arm on the Pennsylvania Railroad track in Newark.

A trainman found him beside the track with his hand severed at the elbow. He was taken to the hospital, where he declared the figure had grown monotonous.

Scanlon is forty years old. He is in a serious condition.

VINDICATION OF DAUGHERTY IS EXPECTED

Washington, Dec. 20 (By International News Service).—The end of the Daugherty impeachment proceedings may come today in complete vindication of the Attorney-General by the House Judiciary Committee.

Renewed charges that secret agents were assigned to "shadow" members of Congress, who indulged in criticism of the Attorney-General were made today by Representative Roy Woodruff, Republican, Michigan, who appeared as probably the last witness in the proceedings.

The Michigan Congressman told the committee he was no "prosecutor" and if supplemental inquiry should develop Daugherty is less at fault than reported, he would tell the committee frankly and withdraw his charge.

Department of Justice officials threw open their books to Woodruff for an examination. The committee awaited the outcome in the firm belief their vexatious labors were at an end.

If Woodruff is not satisfied with the results of his inquiry, the committee will go ahead with the examination of witnesses.

A report from the committee to the House on the impeachment inquiry is not to be presented until after the Christmas holidays, it was said by members.

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REDUCE AUTO CRASH VERDICT TO $9,250

A jury award of $44,785 to Percival W. White and his wife on account of injuries sustained in a collision between autos owned by the Edison Electric Light and Town Tax Companies was cut down to $9,250 today by Judge Quinn in Suffolk Superior Court.

Larz Anderson's Xmas Party at 'Weld' on Saturday, Says Betty Alden

By BETTY ALDEN

EACH year Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson have barrels of fun giving a Christmas party for the people on their place in Brookline known as "Weld."

This informal affair, which they are giving this time on Saturday night, takes place annually in the roomy barn at "Weld." It's not in the least difficult to picture the one-time ambassador to Japan and his charming wife in the role of "Santy," for the Andersons are just the sort of people who get a real "kick"—to pardon the vernacular—by doing things for other people.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson—she was formerly Miss Isabel Weld Perkins, and it was after an uncle of hers (or was it a grandfather?), I believe, that the place was named—have Mrs. Charles F. Greenough, 2nd (Peggy Perkins) and her little boy come over to help distribute the presents. Then the Edward D. Brandegees, whose neighboring estate is known as "Faulkner Farm," usually drop in to join in the jolly work of distributing the gifts.

"Weld," by the way, is undoubtedly one of the most magnificent estates around Boston. The house itself is set on a hill and is surrounded on the one side by a splendid Italian garden. Nearer to the house is the most fascinating miniature Japanese garden, which is said to be a perfect replica of those on the Isle of Nipnon.

Then there are sloping terraces which lend the place a most imposing look, but perhaps the most interesting thing about "Weld" is the group of tiny gnomes on one corner of the grounds, which beguile the beholder with their looks of startling life-likeness.

Mrs. Anderson, whose "Presidents and Pies" gained no small renown for the author, is still receiving congratulations for her success in running The Hut, the restaurant of the Atlantic City Boardwalk, which coined a very fat sum for that mammoth undertaking.

MRS. ROBERT GOULD SHAW, 2ND, has been spending a few days in New York at the Plaza.

SPEAKING of Christmas, the holidays are certainly taking that well-known matron, Mrs. Barrett Wendell, upon some rather lengthy journeyings. She left Boston this week, planning, I understand, to spend Christmas with her son, Barrett Wendell, and his wife, the former Barbara Higginson, at their home in Chicago. Before she returns to Boston she is going to St. Louis to visit one of her daughters, Mrs. Van der Woude (Mary Wendell), and then to Auburn, N. Y., to visit still another son-in-law and daughter, the Charles D. Osbornes (Edith Wendell).

THAT vivacious debutante, Miss Betty Thorndike, daughter of the Allen A. Thorndikes of Commonwealth avenue, is another of the young women who have been invited to "animate" the advertisements at the Boston Opera House on January 15, when society holds its Animated Advertising Adventure.

Betty Thorndike, who was introduced earlier in the month at a tea-dance held at the Somerset, is a slim girl, with dark hair, sparkling blue eyes, and a smiling mouth. She dresses very smartly, and should make one of the most attractive "models" for this charity undertaking in which society is interesting itself.

JOHN CASWELL, JR., is on the entertainment committee in charge of the dance which the First Corps Cadets is holding tomorrow night at the Cadet Armory on Columbus avenue. The hours are from nine until one o'clock.

John Caswell is the brother of "Sister" Caswell, who occasioned so much excitement when her engagement to young Jasper Morgan of New York was broken off. Now lovely blonde-haired "Sister"—whose rather exotic beauty has brightened many a charity event—and her mater have sailed for the Mediterranean regions, while young John remains here. Just what Mrs. Caswell and her daughter plan to do upon their return to the land of the Stars and Stripes is still a matter of conjecture to most of their friends.

Betty Alden

MISS ELIZABETH THORNDIKE

Miss Elizabeth Thorndike, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thorndike of Commonwealth avenue, who will take part in the Animated Advertising Adventure, which society is putting on at the Boston Opera House on January 15.

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WALDORF OFFICERS HOLD XMAS PARTY

The annual Christmas party of the executives and office employes of the Waldorf System, Incorporated, was held in the rooms on the top floor of their building at No. 169 High street.

After the dinner, talent from the office force gave an entertainment. The Misses Foster, Carey, Taplin, McDermott and Mr. Heywood appeared in some jazzy songs; Miss Florence Grundy sang a solo; Miss Mary Ryan gave a reading, and Miss Helen McCarthy a Highland Fling. The Misses Cox and Wolfson put on a lively one-act comedy and Mr. William Bragdon a sleight of hand act. Dancing followed the vaudeville performance. About one hundred people attended the party.

CALLS OFFICER 'SPITE VICTIM'

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had no feeling against him. The duty was not pleasant. I am sorry for Cronin. It is too bad this happened.

Attorney O'Connell: "Never mind the excuses, deputy."

Court: "You are charging bias, Mr. O'Connell, and I shall give Mr. Evans the full opportunity to explain his feeling in the matter."

Then Evans said that he had previously respected Cronin, that Cronin came on the force when men were needed and that he had had no feeling against him.

DESCRIBE ARREST.

Captain Mathew J. Dailey of Fields Corner Station, Cronin's captain, testified to going to Cronin's home with Deputy Evans and Inspector Sheehan the day after the Bowley trouble and arresting Cronin.

The captain said that formerly he had gone to Cronin's father and spoken of complaints he had had against the officer-son. He said that he himself thought Cronin erratic and excitable.

In cross-examination the departmental feeling was brought up again by Attorney O'Connell.

Q.—Have you any prejudice against Cronin? A.—No.

Q.—You know that he had arrested your nephew as a suspicious character? A.—No. I did not know it. I am surprised.

Q.—You know he arrested two of your friends? A.—No, I did not.

HEARD OF BOWLEY CASE.

Captain Dailey said that, when he, Evans and Sheehan brought Cronin back to the station, Cronin said he had heard something of the Bowley matter and that he (Cronin) understood some officer had been at the station the night before, accused of the crimes.

But Captain Dailey said Cronin declared that he was not the officer.

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MADE LIFE MEMBERS OF TUFTS TRUSTEES

Dr. Payson Smith, State commissioner of education, and John R. Macomber, president of Harris, Forbes & Co. and former president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, have been made life members of the Board of Trustees of Tufts College, according to an announcement today by President John A. Cousens. This is the result of a plan to strengthen gradually the governing board of the college.

TURKS WARNED OF WAR BY U. S. ENVOY

Lausanna, Dec. 20 (By International News Service).—Marquis Curzon announced this afternoon that the Near East conference will continue, the Turks having adopted a conciliatory attitude toward the allied plan for settlement of the straits question.

It was learned that the Turks had made up their minds yesterday to answer Marquis Curzon's ultimatum immediately with a curt refusal but were persuaded by American Ambassador Child to give the matter further consideration. Child sought out Ismet Pasha and spent a long time with him trying to win him over to accepting the allied compromise.

The American envoy was plainly worried over the turn affairs had taken. It was understood he had told Ismet Pasha that if the Turks rejected the allied proposal and, with the Russians, left the conference, the action could mean only war.

The Turks are also refusing to accept the allied conditions laid down for the protecting of the Christian minorities in Asia Minor, the stuff for "someone."

CHILDREN ARE MENACED BY RAT PLAGUE

Increase of rats in Boston and vicinity may become a menace to child life, according to Edwin H. Cavis, superintendent of the local district of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

In one instance, he said, families living in poor tenements have already complained of the viciousness of hungry rodents.

Children, they maintained, were afraid of being bitten. One agent has reported a family where several of the smaller children bear fresh scars and scratches made by rats in search of food.

Statements that rats are increasing in the city faster than the population is looked upon as a danger sign and State authorities must check.

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DISABLED TRUCK LEADS TO ARREST

Patrolman McGeever watched two men struggling to start a truck at Laconia street and Harrison avenue today. His went over to see what he could do to help, and discovered the truck loaded with 75 cans of moonshine, a half ton of sugar, a quantity of mash and other ingredients for making liquor. Louis Blackman and Michael Genn, both of Chelsea, were arrested. They claimed they were simply moving

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2 ALARMS FOR SLIGHT FIRE IN LEXINGTON

Fire due to an overheated chimney caused slight damage at the home of Frank T. Reynolds, Massachusetts avenue and School street, Lexington, today. Two alarms were sounded because of need for the "big pump" which does not go out on one alarm fires. Mrs. Reynolds and her son, Frank, Jr., remained inside and watched the firemen.

PLAN TO UNIFY IRISH RAILROADS

Dublin, Dec. 20.—The Free State government, it was learned today, has decided on unification of the Irish railways on either one or two groups. Legislation with this object in view will be introduced in Parliament within the next six months.

POLICE RECOVER BODY IN HARBOR

A body of a man, believed to be that of John S. Hamilton, was found floating in the harbor between Long Wharf and T Wharf by the crew of the police boat Watchman today. The police believe it is Hamilton because of a letter found on his person which bore that name and because of a brass pay check of the Fore River ship yards.

FOUR STORES SWEPT BY FIRE IN MAINE

Bar Harbor, Me., Dec. 20.—The Christmas stock of four stores in the business section was destroyed when the wooden Bradley block burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at several thousand dollars. Firemen fought the blaze for four hours with the temperature below zero.

REID, SPURNED OFTEN, WON G'RL'S LOVE

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Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 20.—Wallace Reid is described by his titian haired, blue-eyed wife, as "a perfect lover" off the screen as well as on it. The handsome motion picture actor is today in a Hollywood sanitarium battling influenza and the morphine habit which he contracted, Mrs. Reid declares, in New York City a year and a half ago. It was while he was working in the film production of "Peter Ibbetson," she said.

At first in the early days of their acquaintance in screen work, she spurned the affections of the dashing juvenile, but he persisted with the fervor of an undaunted cavalier until she consented to set the date for their marriage. She said:

THEIR FIRST QUARREL

"Wally came to Los Angeles occasionally and urged me to play leads at Santa Barbara, but I did not want to break up housekeeping and besides I was not particularly anxious to be with him.

"We had a quarrel one day. It must have been trivial for I don't recall what prompted it. Afterwards we did not correspond for a long time—fully six months.

"In 1913 he came back to Los Angeles. He would come to our house for a social call. The telephone would ring. "Is Wally Reid there?" a voice would ask. Wally would go to the phone and say impatiently, 'All right, I'll be right over.' I learned lately he was having people call him up to try to make me jealous.

"Once he said to me, 'You are going to marry me this Fall.'

BALKED AT WEDDING.

"'Oh,' I replied, 'I suppose I haven't anything to say about it?' 'No,' he said, 'you haven't. Your mother and I have decided it for you.'

"Following my return to Los Angeles Wally said one evening, 'You are going to marry me Saturday.' This time I did not say I would not marry him. I was not through resisting, however, for I said: 'If it is to be at all, it must be on the thirteenth.'

"Thirteen I have always believed is my lucky day because of a series of threes and thirteens in my life. I was born March 13, Wednesday, the third month of the year and the third day of the week.

"So I became the wife of Wally October 13, 1913."

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INDIAN POTENTATE DIES IN LONDON

London, Dec. 20 (By the Associated Press)—The Maharajah of Cooch Behar, an outstanding figure among the potentates of Hindustan, died in a hospital here today after a brief illness. He was 34 years old, a loyal adherent of the British Empire and gave huge sums to the government to aid in the prosecution of the World War. He ruled over a territory of about 1,309 square miles, with a population of 600,000. His brother-in-law, Prince Sheonrat Jaising Rao of Baroda, was a student at Harvard.

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SAYS BRITAIN MIGHT CALL OFF NAVAL PACT

London, Dec. 20.—Declaring that Great Britain is the only nation that has made a real attempt to carry out the provisions of the Washington naval disarmament treaty, Admiral Sir Reginald Harel, M. P., former director of British Naval Intelligence, today said it would be perfectly proper for that nation to suggest calling off the agreement altogether.

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GIRL SHARED PAY WITH CARNIVAL KING'S SON

Harriet Levoy, erstwhile merry-go-round cashier, who is suing John J. Hurley, Jr., son of the Nantasket and Revere Beach promoter, for the return of an automobile, told a reporter for the Boston American that Hurley filled her after she had divided with him her tiny salary of $12 a week.

"I am just another girl who has loved unwisely and found out too late that man is not infallible," she declared. "I met John J. Hurley three years ago, and from the very first moment I loved him."

Harriet Levoy

The automobile in question, she said, was purchased by her. She and Hurley shared it, she said, with the understanding that she could have it back when she wanted it.

CHARGE "OTHER GIRL."

But after a while, she asserted, Hurley began using it to take a Nantasket Beach girl for rides. Then she says she asked him to return the machine.

"He refused to give it to me, and is using it now to take her for rides," Miss Levoy claimed. "In it any wonder I want it back?"

"He boarded at my home No. 116 South street, Lynn, one Winter, because he was working on a concession at Revere and I thought that would make things easier for him," she continued. "I never charged him one penny for his board all Winter, and I used to give him money every week out of my salary."

John J. Hurley, Jr

CARRIED OFF STOVE.

The girl's mother declared that Hurley had frequently asked her for money to buy moonshine with. On one occasion he came to her home with an auto party and asked for money to buy liquor, she said. When she refused to give him any he tore out the kitchen range, she added, and with the aid of other members of the party took it down and sold it.

A temporary writ restraining Hurley from selling the auto has been issued by the Salem Court, and is returnable the first Monday in January.

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NICARAGUA WANTS U. S. MARINES TO STAY

Managua, Nicaragua, Dec. 20.—President Diego Manuel Chamerro in his annual message to Congress supports the Central American conference at Washington as a means toward peace and prosperity. He favors continuance of the legation guard of American marines, which, he says, remains with the consent of the Nicaraguan government and is in no way connected with the civil and political life of the country.

The President commends American co-operation in the financial refuting charges that it tends strongly refuting charges that it tends toward intervention in the sovereignty of the country.

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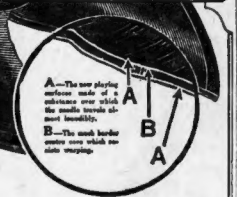
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Wool Half Hose . . . . . 75c to $2.00
Golf Hose . . . . . $1.95 to $3.00
Linen Handkerchiefs . . . . . 3 for $1.50
Wool Mufflers . . . . . $1.95 to $2.95
Silk Mufflers . . . . . $6.50 to $10.50
Wool Vests $5.00
Wool Bath Robes . . . . . $7.50 to $25.00
Men's Kid House Slippers . $2.00 to $4.00
Men's Corduroy Slippers . . . . $2.00 to $3.00
Men's Spats . . . . . $2.00 to $3.50
Travel Bags and Cases . . $5.00 to $50.00

Men's and Women's

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SCORE TAKEN IN POLICE ROUNDUP

Eleven men were arrested in the second day of the police roundup which began on Monday, following two murders and a series of hold ups. This brings the total of arrests to twenty.

All suspicious persons are being rounded up and questioned.

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SON IS ACCUSED BY REVERE FATHER

Albert Pothier, twenty-nine years old, of Everard avenue, Revere, was in the Revere Court today on the complaint of his father, Joseph Pothier, manager of the Beachmont Wet Wash Laundry.

Albert, who has been running the laundry business for his father, failed to show a reasonable profit, and his father investigated. Albert's arrest on a charge of larceny followed.

Albert pleaded not guilty and the case was continued.

Telegraph Brevities

Mobile, Ala.—Jail sentences for speeders and reckless drivers of automobiles were authorized by the city commission. The limit to the jail sentences is six months, in addition to a fine.

Chicago—The postoffice established a world's record Monday for the volume of mail handled in a single day. Postal employes counted 6,359,108 pieces of first class mail and 1,573,3 tons of second, third and fourth class matter, mostly parcel post.

Chicago—Bernard Grant and Walter Krauser, boy bandits, were captured today and confessed, according to the police, to the shooting to death yesterday of Policeman Ralph S. Souders in a tea store holdup.

WASHBURN ASKS TO SHAKE HANDS WITH FULLER

Lieutenant-Governor Alvan T. Fuller and "Bob" Washburn shook hands today.

The meeting of the two deadly political enemies was at the State House under forced circumstances.

Washburn appeared as counsel, soliciting a pardon for Oscar W. Nelson of Worcester, who has served twenty-one years of a life sentence at Charlestown State Prison for murder. Fuller is chairman of the Pardon Committee of the Governor's Council, to which Washburn was about to make his appeal at the public hearing.

Lt.-Gov. Fuller

Just before the hearing, Washburn asked if he could meet Fuller. He was ushered into the Lieutenant Governor's office.

"How do you do, Bob," said Fuller, extending his hand. Washburn also moved by the holiday spirit, or something, grasped the extended hand eagerly.

Neither discussed later whether this was a permanent reconciliation.

Washburn, in the past two years, has attacked Fuller from rostrum and street-corner in every section of the State. Their feud began when Fuller first defeated Former Speaker Joseph E. Warner for Lieutenant-Governor, culminated in Washburn's attempt to bring Fuller to trial before the Roosevelt Club and continued through the recent campaign when Fuller again defeated Warner.

It was at Fuller's "trial" that Wendell Phillips Thore attacked the Roosevelt Club as "a bunch of political cooties."

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"Bob" Washburn

STOP NOSEBLEED BY BLOOD TRANSFUSION

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 20.—The life of Charles Lloyd, twenty years old, of Linwood, has been saved by blood transfusion, after he had bled from the nose almost uninterruptedly for three days. The youth was seized with a nasal hemorrhage while at work near his home. On the second day a consultation of physicians was held. Their efforts to stop the blood failed, and finally it was decided that blood transfusion was imperative. Lloyd's uncle, Phillip Dowdy volunteered. After the transfusion the bleeding stopped.

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CHARGE MAN STOLE $4,000 FROM FATHER

Albert Pothier, twenty-nine years old, was arrested at his home on Everard avenue, Revere, charged with misappropriating $4,000 from his father, Joseph Pothier. The son has been manager of his father's wet wash business in Revere.

TENANTS PAY DELINQUENTS' WATER BILLS

Tenants are paying water bills that should have been paid by their landlords and deducting the amounts from the monthly or weekly rat, according to officials of the water in some branch of the city.

One tenant at City Hall today declared she had absolutely refused to go without water for herself and children regardless of the landlord's failure to pay his bill.

In Charlestown the water was shut off in a house and no record of any order for it was found in the water department. A plumber was sent for and he discovered that a large dog owned by a tenant had turned the shut-off in the basement by tugging at the handle.

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CLEAR MYSTERY OF LAWRENCE WOMAN

Lawrence, December 20. — The mystery surrounding a woman who was taken to the Municipal Hospital for treatment and who couldn't tell anything about herself, was cleared today when relatives identified her as Anna Collins, fifty-six years old, of No. 403 Canal street. She had been in the hospital for several weeks, apparently suffering from asphasia.

TODAY

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20,000 for a dowry, that she may be able to marry.

THAT SUCH A GIRL should remain single, leaving no children, seems a crime to Frenchmen. Honor to them for the thought.

How many girls in this country are slaving away their lives, like the neutral "workers" in ant hill or bee hive, never to leave their admirable qualities, high ideals and devotion to the next generation?

WE TALK OF "WASTE" in America, and lack of intelligence in the population. The greatest waste is of good motherhood. It is shown in the hundreds of thousands of wasted mothers, chained to counters, looms, desks and typewriting machines.

Stop that waste, and the crop of fine children will take care of everything else.

RECENTLY CAME the death of the discoverer of West Virginia's coal mines. Now comes the death of David Lindsay, discoverer of West Australia's great gold mines.

The difference between gold and coal is this:

It would have made no difference to the world or its happiness if no gold mine had ever been discovered. And modern civilization could not have existed without coal mines, and coal power.

Yet men and nations murder each other for gold. He that has gold is honored everywhere. And the man that mines coal, is a grimy nobody.

HOW MUCH CAN Germany pay? That question interests Europe. How much more will America lend? That's the other interesting question. The answer to the American question is NOTHING. Therefore Europe will do well to concentrate on question number one.

OLD IRISHMEN REMEMBER how it used to be with the Irish landlord. He lived in England. His agent watched the land. If the tenant improved it, built a new barn, bought a new horse—up went the rent. "That tenant is getting too prosperous," said the agent.

So with Germany. If she shows any signs of industrial prosperity, up will go the flexible indemnity. Common sense says "fix a definite sum, let Germany pay, if she can, and then be out of debt."

Between forty and sixty billion gold marks is the sum now discussed. France wants sixty billions. Germany, perhaps, could pay forty billions—at least, so English financiers say. Forty billions would be twelve and a half times the amount that Bismarck took from France in 1871. In addition the Allies have destroyed billions worth of German ships, dying machines, etc., besides confiscating locomotives, railroad cars, cows and land.

UNLESS THE ALLIES do fix some definite sum, they will get little or nothing, and the satisfaction of making Germany Bolshevik would hardly make up the loss of money.

HOWEVER, the rosy dream about having Germany agree on a certain amount and then having this country GUARANTEE that amount, must be abandoned.

CLEMENCEAU FEARS TROUBLE OVER RUHR

Havre, Dec. 20.—Former Premier Georges Clemenceau, who arrived today on the steamship Paris, emphatically repudiated an interview in the Petit Parisien, in which he was quoted as favoring President Harding's intervention in the reparations program and French ratification of the Washington treaties, also opposing occupation of the Ruhr.

"The interview was false," the ex-Premier snapped. "I said only that fear of another world war will come if the Ruhr is occupied."

MINERS WANT REPEAL OF STATE COAL TAX

Hazelton, Pa., Dec. 20.—The influence of the United Mine Workers will be placed behind a movement to repeal the Pennsylvania State anthracite coal tax law in the coming session of the Legislature, Thomas Kennedy, district president of the union, said today. "This tax is another of the means of putting up the price of hard coal. It will be but another economic burden for the miners to contend with when they seek a new wage agreement next Summer," he said.

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BANDITS GET $300 AND ESCAPE POSSE

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Eight men early today blasted the safe of the Spring Valley, Ill., post office, obtaining about $300 and escaped in two automobiles after a running fight with a posse of farmers.

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Men's Elgin, 17-Jewel Watches, gold filled, 20-year case....35.00

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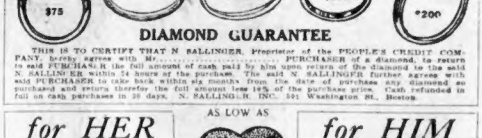

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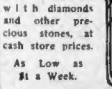

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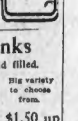

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'WIFE 27 YEARS' NOW FINDS SHE ISN'T MARRIED

LOSES HER SUIT FOR $10,000 WAGES

But Judge Allows Her $557 of $1,500 Loaned to Bruce; She Appeals

Teresa B. Holmes, who al leged she lived for twenty-seven years with George I. Bruce [illegible] married [illegible] before [illegible] married their mar riage was not legal, lost her suit to recover $10,000 from her [illegible]

[illegible] the court she went [illegible] ceremony with [illegible] 1895, who she was ex [illegible] and that in 1918 she found he [illegible] of the woman and had a daughter.

Judge Counihan ruled she could not recover the $10,000 she claimed for services as housekeeper, but allowed her $557.81 of the $1,500 she had loaned to Bruce. Miss Holmes appealed to the Supreme Court.

"MARRIED" IN NEW YORK.

Miss Holmes told in The Am[illegible] that Bruce, living [illegible] Jersey, had a [illegible] wife and two children. She went to New York and there were married by a minister. "I thought we were [illegible] for life," she said.

Bruce was a [illegible] and [illegible] after we were [illegible] New York he was [illegible] and the wife [illegible] excused. He said then that our marriage [illegible] was among the pa [illegible] cast off.

We were very happy, at least I was. Mr. Bruce went away every weekend, saying many Saturdays and Sundays in 1918. I was thought he was off somewhere on a hunting or else down to his hunting camp, as he was fond of both.

TOLD OF ANOTHER WIFE

"During [illegible] 1918 the tele [illegible] rang. We were both sitting [illegible] I answered. A woman [illegible] and [illegible] Mrs. Bruce. She said I was not the [illegible] woman. I asked who was [illegible] and she said another wife [illegible] married [illegible] and [illegible] going to have [illegible]

Mr. Bruce [illegible] when I said, 'Is it true?' He [illegible] and said, 'Yes, it is true.' I was in a [illegible] state. I ran in to where he was and I asked him what it was all about.

"That is that Phillips woman [illegible] to wreck my life," he shouted. He [illegible] and [illegible] Then, in the heat of all his excitement, he [illegible] and [illegible] to me 'the fool [illegible] that false [illegible] had gone through that [illegible] move.

SETTLED FOR $1,500.

"He said to me: 'That Phillips girl is no [illegible]. Then I knew I had some money and they had for me. Only God pity me and the child of my marriage. I have been married to Helene Hardly for a year.

"Two years before I accidentally met my husband and a girl known to me as Gerda Phillips. I was shopping in a department store when I felt an umbrella poking me. I turned. I came face to face with my husband. I said: 'I thought you were finished with that Phillips woman.' He answered: 'I am as soon as I get her this check.'

She had met her there to give her a check for $1,501 because she threatened to sue him for breach of promise and he was settling. I afterward learned that it was about this time that he met the other woman. She lived at No. 1670 Common wealth avenue and we moved to No 1230

"After the confession he sent her down to the cape and he went to live at No. 1646. I stuck by him all I could. He slept there, but ate three meals a day at my apartment. I always loved him in spite of his ways. He gave me $400 in his will. That's all. The other woman's father now runs his business."

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Wife Accused of Murder Plot

Mrs. Hunneman Planned Death of Husband, Servant Says

Calls Her Ex-Fiance "Jekyl-Hyde"

HUNNEMAN FAMILY.

Above Mrs. Rose H[illegible] below, her son Russell T. and daughter Doris M[illegible] with a former [illegible] Mrs. Hunneman planned to kill. Her [illegible] who is suing for divorce because of his interference with her alleged liquor parties.

ATTEMPT TO CLINCH IN COURT

Children of Hunnemans Pry Pair Apart; Drinking Bouts Laid to Wife

Declaring that his wife masked her presence at wild liquor parties by saying that she had to leave home because of weddings, funerals and illness in her family, Joseph Hun[illegible]

17 SAVED IN TENEMENT BLAZE

Policeman Is Hero of Fire in Somerville Dwelling House

Nine adults and eight children were rescued in a Somerville [illegible] today by Patrolman William H. Donovan and firemen of Hose 3 and Ladder 1 companies.

Patrolman Donovan was the regular hero of the rescue. He found it was up a smoke-choked stairway to the second floor where Louis Tavia frantically cried that a baby year-old boy, Harry Tavia, was no among those brought out.

Donovan found the boy unconscious from smoke on the second floor. Picking up the boy the officer returned to the hallway but found his escape cut off.

Donovan hurried to the rear of the apartment house through a window, taking a one story ell crawled through, then lowered the boy into the arms of firemen on the ground. The baby now was soon revived in a neighboring house.

RESCUER INJURED.

Donovan was cut on the face by glass which he smashed the window in climbing out on the ell roof he wrenched his right ankle severely.

The fire was in the four-story wooden store and tenement structure a. No 4 and 4A South street. This is a thickly settled district. Neighbors were roused by the fire. Many of them went out to the street dressed as they slept.

Tenants of the house where the fire occurred were grouped in their night clothing and suffered some what from the cold. But they were quickly cared for in neighboring homes.

The blaze started, firemen said, in the tobacco store of Nicholas Crivelli on the ground floor. Fire Chief Wilfred Young expressed opinion that it was caused by a cigarette butt.

AROUSES TENANTS.

Patrolman Donovan, who discovered the fire sent an alarm from the nearest box, then ran back to the house rushed upstairs, aroused the dazed tenants and began to assist them out.

Hose 3 and Ladder 1 Companies [illegible] command of Captain Henry Turner of the hose company were first on the scene, coming from Union square. Engine 4 was on a short distance away and helped Donovan in the rescue work.

On the first floor live Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Tatalo and three children. On the third live Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Donovan and two children. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Monroe with three children and three others have the fourth floor.

The Montrame store [illegible] was cut out, thousands of dollars [illegible] roused by Donovan. But [illegible] there both people and children [illegible] helped out.

The fire and smoke damage was estimated at $5,000.

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HUB WOMAN WANTS MATERNITY BILL

Mrs. Harriet A. Frothingham was [illegible] constitutionality of the Sheppard-Towner maternity law in a suit filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia today. This suit, Secretary Mellon and other government officials be restrained from expending public funds under the act. Mrs. Frothingham, who is the wife of Rai[illegible]olph Frothingham, a Boston attorney, alleges that Congress exceeded its powers in passing the act and interfered with State rights and personal liberty.

Haveloch Pierce
Mrs. Harriet A. Frothingham,
Photo by Henry

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WINS HEART BALM IN BROKEN ROMANCE

LENA BISSO

Blonde [illegible] who was jilted by her wealthy sweetheart, now in Italy [illegible] said the latter ran away with another woman. Two other [illegible] are said to be planning love suits against him if he returns.

BEAUTY IS AWARDED $10,700

Somerville Girl Says Sweetheart Jilted Her to Elope With Other Woman

Lena Bisso, blonde winner of a $10,700 breach of promise verdict against Constantino Sobrero, calls her faithless sweetheart a "Dr. Jekyll-Mr. Hyde."

And Lena says she has cause.

She first met him while visiting in Somerville. He was the owner of a flour shipping business, an automobile and many other things that girls like. The infatuation was mutual. The wedding was set for June 22.

"When I agreed to become his wife, he bought me a $1,000 engagement ring," says Lena. "When I went back to New York he wrote me every other day long letters. Then [illegible] letters stopped coming and Lena filed [illegible] says she knows the rest of the story. Constantino sailed for Italy with another woman.

OTHER GIRLS TO SUE.

Sobrero is now over there. He didn't even appear in the Cambridge Court to defend the suit against him and Judge Irwin awarded her $10,700.

Sheriff Tucker of Middlesex County has seized the effects of a large motor [illegible] that he operated on Concord avenue, Cambridge, together with his automobiles, so there is hope that Lena will collect.

"He is now [illegible] squandering the $40,000 he promised he would spend on a honeymoon with me," added Lena. "I am sorry for the other girl. I know he will not marry her."

Her attorney, Harry Silverman, of Lexington declared that two other girls have asked him to start proceedings against Sobrero as soon as he returns from Italy.

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106, DIES FROZEN, AVOIDS CHARITY

New York, Dec. 20 (By International News Service).—The long trail of the life of Joseph Verneto, 106 years old, seemed to wind to its end here over the hill, where the remaining days would be spent on the charity of others. The aged [illegible] had always been one of his nation's sturdiest and seventy years old son.

Cold weather came. There was no fuel or clothes in which to wrap themselves. The fight against the cold seemed lost. Tomorrow he would surrender a century of pride, take his wife and son and finish his days in the house over the hill.

All night he grieved in his bed. Patrolman [illegible] L. [illegible] his aged life-long companion went to bed. He sat in the rickety rocker. Once he rose and painfully crept to his wife's bed, knelt down and returned to his chair.

This morning his wife was dead. The cold man still sat in his rocker, but his hands were cold, lifeless. He had frozen to death but had escaped a poorhouse life that he so dreaded.

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WINS FIVE MEDALS IN SIBERIA SERVICE

Five military medals for bravery and distinguished service decorate the breast of Colonel R. O. Johnson's uniform as he returns to San Francisco, a hero after five years service. Colonel Johnson left San Francisco a major in the engineer's corps with the American Expeditionary forces to Siberia in 1917. For five years he has battled human and natural foes in Northern Asia.

Col. R. O. Johnson
Photo by International News Service

ME DFORD MAYOR DEFIES STATE

A summons to compel Mayor Benjamin F. Haines of Medford to appear before the Special State Commission on Main and Pleasant streets, Taxation and compel him to testify in the inside story of the city finances is about to be issued by the commission.

That Mayor Haines has defied the committee [illegible] in such becom known at the public hearing today.

Chairman Alvan E. Bliss of Malden declared that every Mayor in the State except Haines appeared before the commission and complied in full to the questionnaire which sought information as to their financial standing.

Mayor-elect Richard B. Coolidge of Medford, Chairman Edward S. Randall of the board of assessors and Auditor [illegible] of Medford appeared before the commission today but Haines was absent. It was said he probably is in Florida.

"If he is in the State," said Bliss, "we will invoke the power of the courts to compel his attendance here."

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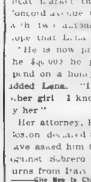
DON'T OVERFEED HORSES ON HOLIDAY

With two holidays coming together Sunday and Monday, the M. S. P. C. A. today issued a warning to teamsters against overfeeding their horses. Half the usual amount of grain, the feeding of shorts, and a bran mash one night was recommended. The loss of the animal is liable to result from overfeeding.

Mayor Haines.

BOSTON MAN TO TAKE BRIDE IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 20—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Thayer of No. 45 East [illegible] announced today the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marie R. Thayer, to Junius A. Richards of No. 247 East Eighty-first street and Boston. Miss Thayer is a popular member of the junior set, and has appeared in several productions of the Junior League.



Miss Marie R. Thayer
Photo by Underwood News Bureau

Mr. Richards is a son of Mrs. Charles Frost Aldrich and the late Francis Richards of Boston. He graduated from Harvard in 1913 and served overseas as an artillery officer.

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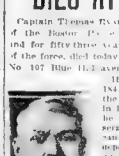
POLICE CAPTAIN THOMAS RYAN DIES AT 77

Captain Thomas Ryan, chief clerk of the Boston Police Department for fifty-three years a member of the force, died today at his home No. 107 Rine [illegible] avenue.

He was born in 1845 and joined the department in 1871. In 1875 he was made a sergeant. He became clerk of the department, as a captain in 1888, but in 1906 was reinstated in the force as a captain. It is the first time on record that a civilian achieved the grade of captain without having brought the intervening grades.

For over forty years Captain Ryan was a member of the Police Relief Association, and for twenty years he has been secretary of the organization. He was a Civil War veteran, a member of Company E, 13th Massachusetts Volunteers. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Carolina Ryan.



Capt. Thomas Ryan.

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PRISONERS BARELY ESCAPE JAIL FIRE

Cayuga, Ont., Dec. 20.—Five prisoners in the Haldemand County Jail had narrow escapes from being burned to death today when fire razed the jail and court house. Firemen reached the men in their cells just in time.

Coldest Day of the Season; Snow and Warmer Next

Boston experienced the coldest day of the season today, the lowest temperature in the city being recorded at 7 a. m., with 8 degrees above zero. The lowest in the country was at Northfield, Vt., with 22 below zero. Other New England temperatures:

Goffs Falls, N. H.	25 below
Union, N. H.	24 below
Wolfboro, N. H.	21 below
Salmon Falls, N. H.	20 below
Greenville, Me	16 below
Fisherville, Mass.	16 below
Rochester, N. H	16 below
Upton, Mass.	14 below
South Berwick, Me.	14 below
Eliot, Me.	12 below
Concord, N. H.	12 below
Dover, N. H.	12 below
Portsmouth, N. H.	10 below
Eastport, Me.	6 above
Kittery Point, Me.	6 below
Burlington, Vt.	4 below
Portland, Me.	2 below
Dedham	8
Hyde Park	2 above

The forecast: Snow tonight and Thursday, rising temperature beginning early tonight; east to south winds.

HARDINGS TO PASS QUIET CHRISTMAS

Washington, Dec. 20.—While Mrs. Harding [illegible] recovery from her recent serious illness, who has not yet satisfactorily regained her strength to participate elaborately in any Christmas observance. For the reason Christmas at the White House will be strictly informal. The President and Mrs. Harding plan to spend the day simply and quietly with a few personal friends.

[illegible] fireman, a photographer living at No. 99 Mountfort street Back Bay, appeared before Superior Court Justice Hall asking a divorce.

After [illegible] fireman cried that his wife Cecile had [illegible] to Davis with a man [illegible] while I was paying her a weekly allowance. He said a wife became so [illegible] to one another that they arose from their seats and tried to attack each other in open court.

There are grown children, Orilla and Reginald Hunneman, to [illegible] them before the court officers could intervene.

TOWS BROKEN MIRROR.

A diary kept by Mrs. Mary L. Perkins of Newburyport, Mass., was a hit, who lived with the two or many years, played an important [illegible] part in the proceedings. Mrs. Perkins used it to refresh her memory while testifying.

All of her testimony dated either before or after the night of the big fight. This night, Mrs. Perkins said, Hunneman asked his wife if she didn't believe she ought to stay home and take care of the children instead of [illegible] around drinking parties with other men.

Mrs. Hunneman replied by taking a big mirror over her head and pushing her hair, said Mrs. Perkins, she produced the broken mirror in court.

MURDER PLOT CHARGED.

Mary Murphy, a former servant at the Hunneman home, testified that Mrs. Hunneman had been interested in her son's education only that she might teach the boy the exact spot on his father neck where a blow with a hammer would cause death. Mrs. Murphy added that the wife planned to kill her husband because of his interferences with her alleged liquor parties.

MAUDE SAYS SHE PUTS HER VERY HEART INTO HER COOKING

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

SHE MUST HAVE BEEN VERY HEARTED WHEN SHE MADE THIS CAKE

BOSTON AND HARVARD HOCKEY CLUBS BATTLE AT ARENA

CRIMSON PUCK STARS READY FOR HARD GAME

Experience against condition is the card for the Arena hockey match tonight. The Boston Hockey Club is long on experience and short on condition. On the other hand Harvard has been on the ice for the past four weeks and has enjoyed daily practice, just the thing needed to put the team, on edge for its tough test tonight.

It has been proved in hockey that the team rich in experience does its most effective work early in the match, but its opponents, who have advantage in condition, begin to assert themselves late in the game.

Harvard can in no way be classed as an inexperienced outfit, however. Any team that boasts of players of the class of George Owen, Ted Crosby, George Walker and Joe Laroque has plenty of seasoned men.

With the exception of Walker, the Harvard team is made up of players who gained their early hockey knowledge with Massachusetts teams. Hill comes from Milton Academy. Laroque from St Mark's. Owen and Crosby from Newton and Flint from Soley & Gavet high's.

The second hockey will be on tap tomorrow night when Herb Ingram and his band of Pittsburgh players tackle the Victorias.

One of the nice features of Pittsburgh's play this season has been its game manners. The Arrowsmith, Toronto had Pittsburgh at its mercy with the game half gone only to have the Pirates tie up the game and then win in overtime.

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LINEUP AT ARENA

HARVARD.		BOSTON.
Walker, Lw.	r.w.,	Percy
Hill, c.	c.,	Bigelow, Martin
Laroque, r.w.	l.w.,	Hutchinson
	l.w.,	Rice
Owen, l.d.	r.d.,	Stubbs
Crosby, r.d.	l.d.,	Enright
Flint, g.	g.,	Langley

Dartmouth Coach May Get Berth at Wisconsin

Madison Wis., Dec. 20.—Jack Ryan, a football coach at Dartmouth College, and "Hod" Ostic, coach at Mississippi A. & M., said today to be under consideration for the position of football coach at the University of Wisconsin. Ostic played end on the 1912 Wisconsin team.

LEAHY PUT IT UP TO CHAMPION

Tommy Leahy

Two well known specialists in Worcester County have speculated the glad news after several blood tests that Tommy Leahy New Bedford's best lightweight, will be able to resume ring activities in two weeks. As Tommy is well aware of the fact that Sailor Byron can not be dragged into a ring with him by a yoke of oxen while his title is at stake. Leahy will agree to box him at 135 pounds ringside and box him as a winner take all basis.

All Worcester fans are glad that Leahy is Byron's master as he easily defeated Byron in a Worcester bout. Byron is a welterweight champion of New England and Worcester has had to see him defeat Leahy and Lee Tires sealed their reputations. I wanted their money's worth so Byron is very important to me as a box town for me other reason than to meet Leahy.

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McNULTY A BUSY OFFICIAL

Harold F. McNulty

Harold F. McNulty of William Firnes Sons Co., who is secretary treasurer of the Boston Retail Stores Bowling League that now has 16 teams always kept on the fighting the strike of bowling cards and doing many other things.

The league rolls every Tuesday and Wednesday evening. The match this evening was C. F. Hovey Co. vs. Lyon Chandler & Co.; William F. Innes Sons Co., Foster Adams & Gibbs Co. vs. Thayer McNeil, who in the following evening they will be Page on Kennard Co. vs. R. L. Gray Co., Summerfields Furniture vs. William Leavers & Co. and Filene's Sons Co. vs. Hutchinson & Dutton Co.

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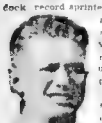
PADDOCK DODGES INDOOR RACING



Charles Paddock

New York, Dec. 20.—Charlie Paddock, record sprinter of the Los Angeles A. C. will not run in the Millrose track meet to be held under the auspices of the Millrose Athletic Association. In a letter to the organization Paddock wrote: "I don't like running indoor races, but my name I hope to come East and run. I will not be in the games. On a 300 yard curved track I produced would require a handicap of a dollar to that of 1920, for I know no more of indoor running than I did on that night.

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RING MEN MINGLE AT EAST BOSTON

The Sacred Heart A. C. of East Boston will hold their amateur boxing tournament tomorrow evening at Columbus Hall. East Boston fans will undoubtedly see the best tourney ever staged by Nobill Dwyer, secretary. The 147 pound class attracting a great deal of attention, as the following boxers have entered: Liam Dunn, East Boston; Mike Cronin, East Boston; Eddie Lally, East Boston, and John Johnson of Georgetown.

Neals will make his first appearance of the season. He is one of the best amateurs ever developed in East Boston. Charlie Lally is fast in fast boxers. Cronin is the best opponent Neals has met in a long time. Cronin is a clever boxer and has a reputation for being a hard hitter. Johnson is the most dangerous and the biggest trouble for the fast of the entrants. Johnson is the colored 147 pound champion of the south. Experts who have seen Johnson train predict a brilliant future for him. Red O'Grady is in quarantine at the present time. If the quarantine is lifted Red will perform. The classes are 112, 118, 125, 135 and 147 pounds. Entries close with Tommy Regan, No. 36 Neptune road East Boston.

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AMATEURS IN BIG SHOW TONIGHT

The Veterans of Foreign Wars will conduct an amateur boxing meet tonight in Cyrus Hall, Prospect street, Cambridge. The classes in which competition will be held are 112, 118, 125, 135 and 147 pounds.

Many leading amateurs have entered and a real treat is in store for the fans.

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BANDITS' LOOT IS WORTH 60 CENTS

Portland Ore., Dec. 20.—Two men who held up the Montana assay office here, escaped with the money belts with gleaming metal. They thought it was gold but officials stated it was copper worth about sixty cents. The assay office manager, however, was forced to hand over $70 of his personal funds.

McNAMEE'S PLAY TEAM FEATURE

The American Gas Five would like to arrange games with at fast amateur or professional teams in the state.

The playing of "Charlie" McNamee in his back position is one of the features of the Cotton Kaiser, guarding and rooting combine with his shooting which always adds points to the scores.

Charles McNamee.

Charlie's perfect condition and this means trouble for the rest of the entrants. Johnson is the colored 147 pound champion of the south. Experts who have seen Johnson train predict a brilliant future for him. Red O'Grady is in quarantine at the present time. If the quarantine is lifted Red will perform. The classes are 112, 118, 125, 135 and 147 pounds. Entries close with Tommy Regan, No. 36 Neptune road East Boston.

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BALL PLAYER SUES GIRL FOR $50,000

New York, Dec. 20.—Hugh McQuillan, former Boston Brave, and now star pitcher of the New York Giants, may never pitch again.

This was revealed today when it was learned that McQuillan has filed suit in the New York County Supreme Court against Miss Mildred Taylor, of Manhattan, asking $50,000 damages.

On October 26 while McQuillan was driving his automobile on the Jericho Turnpike, at Westbury, L. I., another car, driven by Miss Taylor, crashed into his machine.

His pitching arm was injured, perhaps permanently. With McQuillan was his wife, who was also injured. She is still seriously ill.

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BIG "Y" PROGRAM FOR THE NEW YEAR

A big athletic program will be one of the high lights of the New Years celebration at the Huntington avenue branch of the Y. M. C. A. Physical Directors C. P. Thayer and John Sinnett have arranged a busy schedule for the day that embraces most everything in the way of sport.

During the afternoon there will be events in the Two State Y. M. C. A. 3,000 point athletic contest, volley ball between Boston and the Wakefield "Y" teams, basketball games and an exhibition by the "Y" gym team.

COMMERCE HAS FAST TRACK OUTFIT

By FRED C. LANE.

Commerce High's track team has been started in its work by Coach Bill Fleming, who is working hard to mould the squad into a championship outfit.

Daily practice sessions on the gymnasium floor feature the preparations for a busy season. For the present Fleming confines his activities to drilling the juniors and intermediates. The seniors rest until after Christmas as many of them were associated with the football team.

The possibilities for a successful team this season are exceptionally good. Coach Fleming is much impressed with the work of the young element.

Arnold Rumpf, a hurdler and high jumper of note has been elected captain. Rumpf won the hurdle event in the "Reg mentals" last year and many expect bigger things of the blond captain.

Barney Nolan, a 600-yard performer will compete in the senior events. Barney has been a consistent point winner for Commerce in the past two seasons over that route.

Nathan Levine, an intermediate high man, and Walter McManus, captain of Newton High, have shown well in the preliminary sessions. George McCarthy, a member of last year's championship relay team, is also working on the 300 yard dash. Lyman, also a high point winner, is said to have developed wonderfully after the vacation holidays. The following is the schedule for the season:

[illegible] Meet Arms at Armory.
[illegible] Meet at Armory.
[illegible] Meet at Newton (Intermediate).
[illegible] Meet at Armory.
[illegible] Meet at Armory.
[illegible] Meet at Armory.
March 15—Relay Meet at Armory.
March 22—Track Running Events, Regimentals.
March 23—Finals Field Events, Regimentals.
March 24—Finals Running Events, Regimentals.

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BUSY CAMPAIGN ON FOR TENDLER

The Quaker City southpaw, who has been inactive since his bout with Benny Leonard, is [illegible] his [illegible] and [illegible] ready to resume [illegible] another [illegible] champion [illegible] crown. His manager, Jimmy Duffy, is also in search of a busy winter campaign for his protege.

Lew Tendler

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INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET AT SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 20.—The Eastern Intercollegiate Athletic Association will hold its fifth annual track and field championship meeting at Pratt Field here on May 12, it was announced today. The javelin throw will be added to the events. College [illegible] for the past [illegible] year. For dates at and any [illegible] from [illegible] write to Dr. G. Clover [illegible] Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., or phone [illegible] Evanston 8.

RAY'S SUSPENSION UP JAN. 1

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Jole Ray, middleweight pugilist who has been under a suspension for [illegible] amateur athletic [illegible] committee, January 1 next, to train for the 1924 Olympic games. Tom Jones, Ray's trainer at the University of Chicago, announced today after [illegible] will [illegible] Ray's reappearance as a professional.

Jole Ray

Ray will be in the colors of the Illinois Athletic Club.

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SENECAS

The Seneca basketball team is on the court for the fifth consecutive year. For dates at and any [illegible] from [illegible] write to Dr. G. Clover [illegible] Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., or phone [illegible] Evanston 8.

STASIAK RIVAL OF ZBYSZKO BROTHERS

Stanley Stasiak one of the greatest of the Polish wrestlers, is ready for his finish mat bout with Ivan Michailoff, which will be staged in the Grand Opera House tomorrow night under the direction of the old Howard management.

Stasiak has proved a sensation during the past year. He is bigger than either of the famous Zbyszko brothers and is a better supplier.

Ivan Michailoff.

You either. He has already beaten Wladek Zbyszko and figures he would also be able to conquer the muscle Muralians.

Michailoff the man of springs will give the Pole a real test. Boston and New England fans who have seen Ivan in his bouts here are of the opinion he is likely to upset his rival.

Frank Tusko, Lithuanian heavyweight, and A. Rizzo, Italian champion will battle in another finish match.

Sergeant J. J. Burns will oppose Frank Lurich in another big number.

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BOSTON TIGERS

The Boston Tigers are on the floor [illegible] season at Hyde to meet [illegible] Leaders [illegible] in the [illegible] The line up is as follows:

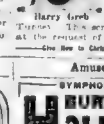
[illegible] Thomas, l. f. Gallaway, c. Bolker r. b.; Wheelock, l. b. For games write to John Thomas, No. [illegible] Harrison avenue, Boston.

Where to Watch Pins Fall Tonight

[illegible] CITY CLUB
6 00—Boston Post Tenpin League. 10 teams
NEW BOSTON ALLEYS
6 15—Sears Market League. 8 teams
6 00—Boston Post Tenpin League. 10 teams
6 00—I. B. Meade Market League. 10 teams
8 00—Schaffts Candy League. 8 teams
8 00—United Workers. A. O. U. W. 10 teams
COMMONWEALTH ALLEYS
6 00—Cotton House League. 4 teams
6 00—Mail and Express League, women and men. 8 teams
8 00—Clerical Co. League, women and men. 8 teams
DEWEY BOULEVARD ALLEYS.
8 30—Sole Leather Trades League.
HAWLEY STREET ALLEYS
6 00—Texas Oil Company. 8 teams
8 00—Local Order of Moose Fraternal League. 10 teams
D. BURNEY'S ALLEYS
6 15—Cotton Market League, women. 4 teams
6 00—Base & Metal Trades Co. League. 10 teams
8 00—Hotel Greet Co. League. 10 teams
8 00—Church League. 10 teams
MIAM J. MURRAY ALLEYS
8 00—B. Curry Store Fixture League. 10 teams
NORTH STATION ALLEYS
6 30—Boston & Maine A. B. League. 10 teams
8 00—Interstate Motor Bus League. 10 teams
RED DRAGON ALLEYS
6 30—Boston Retail Store League. 8 teams
8 00—Boston & Maine Roundhouse league. 8 teams

GREB SIGNS TO BOX DELANEY

Harry Greb, the light heavyweight champion, who has been matched to fight Jimmy Delaney next month at St. Paul in a 12-round encounter. The title holder has been [illegible] to [illegible] to be necessarily restored by that time and if [illegible] Delaney [illegible] arrange for his fight with Greb.



Harry Greb

Tuesday's scrap was postponed at the request of Greb.

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SWIM NETS BIG SUM FOR BASKET FUND

The Brookline Swimming Club held a big swimming meet in the Municipal Baths, Brookline which was largely attended. The proceeds were turned over to the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund.

The various events were largely contested and the interest in the different contests was keen in every way.

During the evening an American reporter presented medals to the winners and made a short address which he thanked the people of Brookline for their hearty co-operation in making the Christmas [illegible] Fund of the Boston American a financial success.

The winners of the various events were as follows:

[illegible] Relay Contest—Won by Miss Olive [illegible] Miss Susie M Kiteridge second; [illegible] Miss Ruth Bowker third. Time [illegible] the Boston Red Cross [illegible] Miss Olive [illegible] Red Cross [illegible] Miss Susie [illegible] Brookline Swimming Club third.

[illegible] free style 50 yards for girls—Won by Miss M. [illegible] Miss Ruth Bowker second; Miss [illegible] Miss Susie M Kiteridge third. Time [illegible] seconds.

[illegible] free style 50 yard swim—Won by Miss [illegible] Miss Ruth Bowker second; [illegible] Miss Susie M Kiteridge third. Time [illegible] seconds.

[illegible] free style for women—Won by Miss M. [illegible] Miss Ruth Bowker second; [illegible] Miss Susie M Kiteridge third. Time [illegible] seconds.

In the different events from three to six points were held in order to bring the finals down to four contestants.

The various events for women attracted much interest among spectators.

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FOUR MAT MATCHES AT HOWARD TODAY

The usual hangup group of wrestlers will appear at the Howard Today at 2:30 o'clock. Four matches will be on the afternoon card. Charlie Mellor is to take [illegible] opponent Frank [illegible] in the main bout. Jack Bowker [illegible] the evening [illegible] Joe Powell will be [illegible] Tommy Rogers in the opening [illegible] Jack Reddy will [illegible] with Frank Vasso.

PADDY OWENS IS AFTER LYNCH

Paddy Owens, the fighting [illegible] from Gainsville who has had a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

BOSTON AMERICAN

BOSTON'S LIVE WIRES — PISTACHIO CLUB MISSION HILL

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WHAT'S YOUR LIST?

SPORTS

ANDERSON IS READY TO PUNCH SIKI OUT OF FISTIC PICTURE

MUST FIRST DEFEAT KID NORFOLK HERE

By JACK CONWAY.

Lee Anderson, who battles Kid Norfolk for the world's colored light-heavyweight championship at the Arena A. C.'s show at Mechanics Building, Friday night, has a solution for the Battling Siki menace.

Battling Siki

"If I defeat Norfolk, I would like nothing better than a shot at Siki. On the other hand, if the victory should go to Norfolk, have him clash with the Senegalese. I believe either of us would be able to crush the conqueror of Carpentier. Boxing fans would then no longer be concerned with Siki."

You ask

What chance would Siki have against either Anderson or Norfolk. And we answer

None!

Siki is an inconsequential fighter compared with either of these colored lads, and a clash at the Arena Club's show Friday night. We believe either Anderson or Norfolk would stop Siki inside of five rounds.

The action of the French Boxing Federation in stripping Siki of the championship he won from Carpentier was ridiculous. The only place you can take a fighter's title away from him is in the ring. And Siki still stands forth unbeaten.

There would not be any objection to a bout between Siki and either Anderson or Norfolk. The tussle would be between colored fighters and would not bring forth the questions that always come up with mixed bouts.

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Siki in the light heavyweight champion of Europe. The winner of Friday night's battle will have undisputed claim to the world's colored light heavyweight title. Therefore, you could not get a better attraction than Siki against either Norfolk or Anderson.

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Did you see the last bout between Norfolk and Anderson?

If so, do you believe Siki, jungle fighter, could have stood up before the terrific blows of the rivals who battled at the Arena?

We don't.

The last Anderson-Norfolk mill was one of the best battles between big fellows that has ever been staged in Boston.

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For five rounds the quarreling two equal Norfolk then forged ahead and won the decision. Anderson says an attack of fever prior to this last match prevented him from showing as well as he did at Armory, where he knocked Norfolk out in nine rounds.

Since his tussle with Norfolk at the Arena, Anderson has won six fights in the West. A knockout ended three of them. Lee has been training in Boston since Saturday and says he will be in the best condition of his career when he enters the ring Friday night.

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Anderson declares he will score with a knockout.

"Then I'll be prepared to climb into Siki," says the big fellow.

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There will also be three eights. Young Gould will battle Pickett Martin. Whitey Allen will oppose Bill Muldoon of Lynn, while Young Jack Johnson will clash with Jim Wright.

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

Arlington Arranges Games

Arlington High hockey team has booked a game with English High on February 16.

The Harvard second outfit will be opposed by Arlington on January 25.

HARVARD CLUB DINES GRID SQUAD

Harvard football and was banqueted by the Harvard Club and fortyfour gold footballs were distributed to the twenty-six players, coaches and to Fred W. Moore and Robert Withington.

Percy D. Haughton, former coach and founder of the Harvard coaching system was one of the principal speakers. "P. D." paid his respects to Amherst. He said that he had heard of murmurings from Amherst that football must be suspended and said that if the Amherst gentlemen had been at New Haven to see the Harvard-Yale football game, their warped minds would have received a bolt. It was a clean, upstanding sportsmanlike affair in every respect, thoroughly clean and wholesome," said he.

Head Coach Bob Fisher declared that Harvard did not intend to change the Harvard system, but would add news plays from year to year. He spoke of Yale's teams and said that Ted Jones has shown gradual and steady improvement with the Eli teams and that 1923's team should be the best Yale has had in years and years.

Captain Charley Buell, Captain-elect Hubbard, Coach Briggs and Lothrop Withington also spoke.

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ROYAL A. C. HAS TOURNAMENT FRIDAY

The Royal Athletic Club (formerly the Sagamore C. C.) stage an open amateur boxing meet at the Elks' auditorium, Medford square, on Friday. A large array of talent has been promised in the 112, 126, 135 and 147 pound classes. Entries close tomorrow with Michael J. Sullivan, No. 113 Riverside avenue, Medford.

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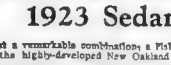
CIVIC CLUB

The Civic Club of Somerville is open for dates with teams in New England. With Wholley, Carrol, Murphy, Camp, Powers, Ryan and McMannamin in the lineup, the team is one of the strongest in the State. Dates may be arranged with James Regan, 18 Wheeler avenue, Medford, or phone University 6660 between 7 and 8 p. m.



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By TAD

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AND MR PHILLIPS WAS AWFULLY FUNNY - HE DID ALL HIS CARD TRICKS - ELLA WROTE ME A NOTE ABOUT IT - WAIT - JUST A MOMENT - I'LL READ IT TO YOU - -
YES - YES - WELL I'LL HAVE TO GO - WHAT - HIS WIFE ? - HERE COMES MY TRAIN
I HEARD HIM TELL THE BARBER HE COULDN'T TIP HIM CUZ HE ONLY HAD A HALF LEFT FOR A LONG DISTANCE CALL
IF SHE SHOULD DECIDE TO JING HIM A SONG NOW HED HAVE TO LEANE HIS HAT
THAT'S THE KIND OF WISDOM THATH AINT IT ?
YOUR TIME FOR SOAP IS UP SIR
TRYING TO CHOP OFF THE TALK
INDOOR SPORTS
LISTENING TO A NICKEL-NURSER AS HE TRIES TO CHOP OFF HIS TWIST AS SHE GOES ON CHIRPING AFTER HIS ONLY HALF IS USED UP .
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TUOHEY SET FOR BIG MAT SHOW

Wladek Zbyszko will get the test of his life on Christmas night as Promoter Tuohey has been obliged to make a shift in the semi final because of the fact that Angelo Tarantino, who was booked to meet the Pole, cannot get away from his present engagements.

Instead Tuohey has secured Henri Lobmayer, a 155-pound Bavarian who defeated Brother Stanislaus in 2 hours 40 minutes at Circus Beketof, Budapest, an individual that the new comer has plenty of class. Wladek and Lobmayer go one full to win. The rest of the program already announced remains intact.

The Gardini Castano affair promises to be hotter than ever, as the Spaniard is showing great speed wherever he appears and his work stamps him as a bird with whom nobody can monkey.

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

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TWO MATCHES FOR RETAIL BOWLERS

Two matches in the Boston Retail Stores Bowling League were rolled last night. Thayer, McNeil Co. took three in four from Foster, Adams & Gibbs and Chandler & Co. took three from Wm. Filene's Sons Co.

The scores follow:

THAYER, McNEIL CO.

Borden	79	99	86	264
C. Long	92	80	75	247
Duffy	93	93	93	279
S. Long	99	91	88	278
Bailey	86	87	86	259
Totals	449	395	419	1263

FOSTER ADAMS & GIBBS

Christopher	82	77	97	256
W. C. Hall	76	102	84	262
Mahoney	87	93	98	278
C. R. Hall	84	75	84	243
Powers	77	76	72	225
Totals	406	423	435	1264

CHANDLER & CO.

Tetrault	77	88	80	245
Maddox	86	82	96	264
Oliver	107	79	80	266
M. Farland	90	92	110	291
O'Brien	86	82	71	239
Totals	501	418	402	1265

WILLIAM FILENE'S SONS CO.

Rubin	107	108	96	311
Chandler	79	108	97	284
Hall	78	79	77	234
Nolan	93	93	93	279
Garland	90	90	96	276
Totals	447	478	429	1354

TEAM STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.	Pins
Filenes	61	9	.772	17,109
Wm. Jaynes	21	7	.750	16,728
Hooper & Dutton	17	7	.708	16,[illegible]
Summerfield	17	11	.607	17,[illegible]
C. F. Hovey	17	10	.630	16,[illegible]
Hightzler & Kennard	17	15	.531	17,015
E. E. Gray	14	18	.438	16,[illegible]
Jordan Marsh	13	17	.433	16,[illegible]
Foster, Adams & Gibbs	11	21	.344	16,[illegible]
Thayer & McNeil	12	20	.375	[illegible]
Chandler & Co.	8	23	.258	16,[illegible]
Retail	4	24	.130	[illegible]

High single game—Filenes [illegible]
High team single [illegible]

High total [illegible]

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

TECHNOLOGY HAS GYMNASTIC DATES

At the annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Gymnasts of America in New York January 6, Technology will present the following schedule for ratification:

Feb. 10—U. of P., Harvard or Yale at Cambridge.
Feb. 23—At Princeton.
Feb. 24—Navy at Annapolis.
Feb. 26—Harvard.
March 3—Dartmouth.
March 9—Yale.

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

Will Play on January 5

Lexington High School boys' basketball five's opening game in the Middle-Essex League, will be played in the Town Hall, on January 5, with North Andover High.

RED CHAPMAN CRUSHES CHARLEY BEECHER

By RINGSIDE

Red Chapman, a Dorchester kid, who was battling in the pre-Limitarian six rounders are way the world's junior featherweight championship when Joe Crusted Charley Beecher of New York in their ten-round bout at the Armory A. A.'s show at Mechanics Building.

Chapman was out front all the way. He gave Beecher one of the most artistic pastings any featherweight ever received.

Chapman's victory was a cruel blow to the boys, who name the odds up in the balcony. The betting was 2 to 1, with Beecher the favorite, at the kickoff.

At the opening of the second frame the odds had flopped to 10 to 4. Chapman, while at the end of the fifth session nobody would even whisper that he thought Beecher had a chance of winning.

Red hooked Beecher with his left and let right hand wallops rock against the New Yorker's jaw.

To quote Eddie Mack:

"All Beecher had was a tango step which even wouldn't have won honorable mention in one of the hops they used to have in Berry Village in the old days."

Which tells the story. Beecher hopped around, but didn't score. Meanwhile he stopped enough punches to knock out a regiment of fighters.

Willie Gradwell of Somerville won over South Boston Johnny Downes in nine rounds. Referee George Freeman very properly stopped the mauls when Downes was bleeding freely from a cut over his right eye, and from his nose. It was a tough battle all the way, with Gradwell having the shade. Downes wanted to continue, but it would have been unwise to have permitted the bout to have gone on.

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Steve Gustin of South Boston fought his usual aggressive, persistent battle and won the verdict over Dutch Reagan of East Boston. Dutch fought brilliantly at times and compelled Gustin to show his best at all times. Gustin sewed up the verdict when he counted with a knockdown, by way of a left hook to the body, in the final round.

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Billy Murphy of Lowell easily outpointed Mike Scroier of Fall River.

As for Jack Conway, he batted for .750. He named three winners, missing out on Chapman. He had plenty of company in booting the final match.

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

MOUNTAINEERS OFF FOR CALIFORNIA

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 20.—The entire city turned out to bid the West Virginia University football squad farewell as the mountaineers left for San Diego, Calif. where they are to meet the Oonagra University eleven on Christmas Day. The West Virginia University's famous band played the popular mountaineers' "fight" song while hundreds cheered.

"Bo" McMillan, freshman halfback, caused a mild sensation when he appeared at the station wearing a straw hat. He claimed that the California climate was not going to catch him unawares and that he intended to wear his straw hat throughout the trip.

Water Basketball is the Latest

Water basketball is the latest. Bobbie Muir, swimming instructor in the big tank at the Huntington avenue branch of the Y. M. C. A., is pushing the game, and has called out the men for practice. It is played much as the regular game is put on, except that the contestants work in the water, a stunt that presents more difficulties than on a floor. The new sport is attracting a lot of attention at the "Y."

ENGLISH SEXTET PLAYS ALUMNI

English High's hockey sextet will open the season against the Alumni on Christmas Day at the Arena. Last year there was a stirring contest by these teams. Captain Art Ryan who led the Blue and Blue team in 1920 has been elected captain of the alumni six.

Art Ryan.

The players on the alumni team have issued challenges to Boston Latin's alumni and to the Worcester, Melrose and Brookline teams.

Five former captains make up the sextet: Brick O'Hare, coach at Boston University; Fat Storey, last year goal tender for the Pere Marquette team, Vin Mc[illegible] captain in 1917; Ray March, captain in 1919, and Ryan, captain in 1920.

The English High team has four veterans of last year's team which won the city championship. They are Captain Norton, Cooney, Hartigan and Kenlow. Blackman and O'Brien in goal and Smith and Hickey on the defence are four other jobs who will play against the alumni [illegible]

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THREE MORE DAYS LEFT TO 'KICK IN' TO FUND

By JOHN B. GILLOOLY

Going!
Going!
Gone!

Ever heard this slogan of your favorite auctioneer?

Anyhow, that's how the Boston American's Christmas Basket Fund is at this writing.

Three more days!

If you don't hustle and get in under the wire, you'll be left out in the cold with the boys who refused to give a help-ing hand to poor mothers and youngsters.

And we know you don't want that to happen.

Over in New York the sport crowd has been giving as much as $100 each to the fund of the New York American.

We don't expect or ask for such large contributions. We shall be perfectly satisfied with small contributions. In fact, we would much prefer a large number of $2, $5 and $10 contributions to a few large ones.

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It's the old spirit that counts, not the amount of money which you donate to this worthy charity.

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We know that most of the boys who have not already kicked in are holding off for the last rush so that they can give a little bit more.

Don't delay any longer, though, as we want to get a definite idea as to just how many poor families we can care for at Christmas.

Take the elastic off the B. B. and kick in now.

• • •

Manager Snyder of the Boston Whirlwinds, one of our live wire basketball teams, has added a ten spot to this fund. The Whirlwinds have just completed a victorious tour and will take part in many games hereabouts this Winter. Other basketball teams should follow the example of the Whirlwinds.

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J. J. Cremmen of the Boston American's Advertising Department took a whirl around the city with Happy and decided $5 might help to relieve some of the poverty he saw.

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The Adrian Club football team, all live wires, sent in $5 with best wishes for our fund.

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The Neponset Town B. B. Club, which is always giving, came through with a five spot.

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Paul DeSalvo, Quincy boxer, who has engaged in a lot of tough battles at local clubs, added $5 to the fund.

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Representative Billy Canty of Ward 16, Roxbury, and also treasurer of the Arena A. C., dropped in with $5. Billy is always with the winners.

• • •

Kid Zizzle did his bit in the war and has been doing it since. He called with his usual $3 contribution. That's the real spirit.

Charley Fresca, former president of the Newsboys' Union, and at one time manager of Harry Silva, kicked in with $2.

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Danny Manning, Johnny Donovan, Bob Brawley and Patsy Downey of New Bedford each added $2 to the fund, while Young Happy gave $1.

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Is your name on the list?

• • •

Only three days more!

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Kick in!

"KICK IN!" TODAY'S CONTRIBUTIONS

The Whirlwinds	$10.00
J. J. Cremmen	5.00
Adrian Club Football Team	5.00
Neponset Town B. B. C.	5.00
Paul De Salvo	5.00
Rep. Billy Canty	5.00
Kid Zizzle	3.00
Charlie Fresca	2.00
Danny Manning	2.00
Johnny Donovan	2.00
Bob Brawley	2.00
Patsy Downey	2.00
Young Happy	1.00
Day's total	49.00
Previously acknowledged	2,229.00
Grand total	$2,278.00

—Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund—

CHAS. HEMPHILL, OLD BASEBALL STAR, DEAD

New York, Dec. 20.—Charley Hemphill, named several years ago as an outfielder with Baseball fans of several American league cities, is dead at his home in this city.

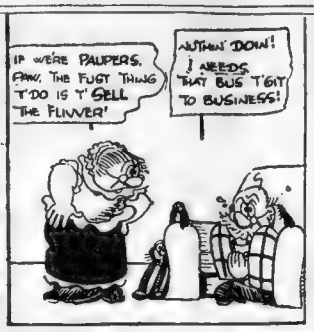
Hemphill made his entrance into the American League as an outfielder with St. Louis. He previously had been with Kansas City. From St. Louis, Hemphill came to the Yankees in 1903, with whom he played for four years. For a time he was also with the Boston Red Sox.

ENJOY TWO PAGES OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST COMICS

Polly and Her Pals

by

Cliff Sterrett



JERRY ON THE JOB

Showing a Saving of Several Stamps

Etiquette of Travel---Be Patient If Going On the New Haven Road

By Les Conklin

THE rules of travel etiquette depend upon where you are going. If a man is going to the North Pole, for instance all he needs is a fur coat, an icepick and a dozen Eskimo pals.

If he goes to Providence he should have a pair of tin cans and a speaking acquaintance with policemen.

If he goes by the New Haven road, he must be prepared to spend several days on the train.

If he goes to Detroit he should carry a can opener and a bottle.

When in Rome go as the Romans do, but when in Russia don't do anything. Just keep one hand on your six-shooter and keep a sharp lookout for soup, ice, water and falling bombs.

When traveling abroad it is wise to disguise yourself as a native hobo, because if Europeans find you are an American tourist they will charge you double prices for everything.

While in Europe it is also well to carefully look over all the kings and queens. The next time you go abroad there probably won't be any left.

If you intend to visit Germany take two or three suitcases along to carry the marks which you will get in exchange for a dollar bill.

Always carry your valuables in your pocket. There are very few honest people on an ocean liner, because it is hard to keep on the bed when the ship is rocking.

If the ship sinks in mid-ocean, etiquette demands that the life preservers be given to all the fair passengers. The fat ones can float without any.

If you are taking your girl for a ride in the day coach, you should choose the road which has the most and longest tunnels.

Experienced travelers will always keep in an upper berth because it makes it harder for a rangers to get at your pocketbook.

A married couple travelling with children should lock them up in the baggage car to prevent them from being thrown out of the window by the other passengers.

When traveling it is always wise to be courteous to your companions. You can never tell—one of them might be a bootlegger.

US BOYS

LOOKAHERE!!! "EIGHTY" ALL THAT'S LEFT OUT OF A WHOLE BLANKET OF STAMPS I DONT SEE ANYBODY'S GRABBING 'EM OFF, BUT SOMETHING'S GOTTA BE DONE TO ECONOMIZE ON STAMPS!
WELL, ORDERS IS ORDERS I "THAT'S MY MOTTO" "SPECIALLY IS THE BOSS GIVES 'EM.
I'LL BET HELL BE TIGHTER THAN A TAMBOURINE FROM NOW ON.
"TELL ME MORE.
WELL, THE LITTLE IS ALL DELIVERED MR. SKINNY, AND AT NO EXPENSE. THAT'S ECONOMY AIN'T IT??
I DELIVERED 'EM IN A TAXI AND CHARGED IT.

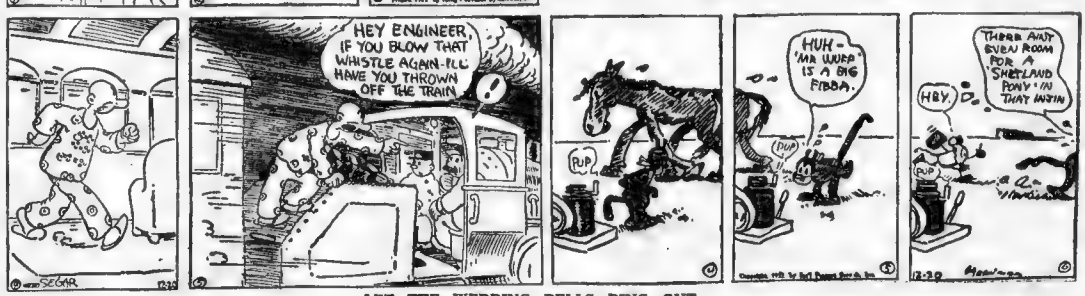
Skinny's Name Goes In

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

IF I CAN KEEP ON DOIN' A GOOD DEED EVERY DAY TILL CHRISTMAS I'LL TURN INTO THE NICEST YOUNG FELLER IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD. GOSH, WONT SKINNY BE JEALOUS.
AH HA, HERE COMES EMILY MORTON!- I'LL BE NICE AND POLITE TO HER AND- MY GOOD DEED IS DONE FOR THE DAY!
HELLO HONEY, I HAVE A LITTLE PAPER I WISH YOU'D SIGN!
TO EMILY, VERY PLEASANT WEATHER, AIN'T IT?
IT'S SO NICE OF YOU TO SIGN THAT PAPER!
OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT EMILY OLE KID!
IT'S A LIST OF NAMES OF ALL WHO THINK SKINNY SHANKER IS THE NICEST BOY IN TOWN. I'M GOING TO SEND IT TO SANTY CLAUS!

KRAZY CAT

THIS PRIVATE TRAIN BOUND FOR PALM BEACH CARRIES THREE VERY RICH AND DISTINGUISHED PASSENGERS
WE'D BETTER RETIRE TO OUR SPECIAL PRIVATE SLEEPING CARS
TOOT TOOT
OH, A LIL GEZZALEEN INJIN.
PUP PUP
THAT'S A WERRA SMALL INJIN, AIN'T IT, MR WUPP?
SMALL, BUT VERY POWERFUL, KRAZY.
YES?
THERE'S FIFTEEN HORSE POWER IN THAT EUGINE.


HEY ENGINEER, IF YOU BLOW THAT WHISTLE AGAIN-I'LL HAVE YOU THROWN OFF THE TRAIN!
PUP
HUH- MR WUPP IS A BIG FIBBA.
THERE AIN'T EVEN ROOM FOR A SHETLAND PONY IN THAT INJIN
HEY!

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

JOHN, SEE THE LOVELY SNOW OUTSIDE
YES- ITS NICE ISN'T IT!
DO YOU REALIZE WHAT ALL THAT SNOW MEANS?
SURE!- IT MEANS THAT OLD WINTERS HERE AT LAST!
YES, BUT IT MEANS MORE THAN THAT-
IT MEANS YOU'LL HAVE TO GET BUSY WITH THE SNOW SHOVEL-

AN ALLIGATOR PAIR

By F. P. Pitzer

SPEAKING of alligators, a few days ago a housekeeper in Norwood emerged to hang up her wash when she was surprised to see a large log in the yard. She poked it up and was walking towards the wooden when the log began to move and she discovered it to be an alligator.

She was a strong woman sans nerves and did not run into the house a fright. It wondered what she could give the creature to eat.

She brought it some fish and kept feeding it fish for several weeks, so that the alligator well fed, became a pet. In gratitude for this very excellent treatment the rough-backed reptile every Monday morning crawled into the cellar and climbed into the washtub and offered its back as a washboard.

All the woman had to do was to hold the piece of wash steadily, after soaping it, and the alligator would move its back up and down against the wet garment until it was taken away by its mistress.

Another incident occurred in the following day. The proprietor of a Norwood store was about to close up shop when he noticed something wriggling out of the back door. He discovered it was a big alligator and tightly gripped in its mouth was a brand new alligator bag. It seemed the alligator had crawled into the store, looked and smelled at every bag and at last recognizing one of its long lost children had grabbed it up and was making for its pond in the zoo.

—Use Row to Christmas Basket Fund—

THE K. K. K.

THE Ku Klutch Kan kongress gated on the korner armed with a korks-kew and a kan, symbolizing the karefree days when a kocktail had a kue kick in it instead of a kute oyster. They konversed of the time when a kordial was not an adjective. The konverts of the klan gathered klose and sang koncerning old King Kole being a merry kluck. The kanamen were klothed in red nowes for a disguise. Kwite a few kanemen kwivered about the kalves kausing them to kling to each other for kontrol. The kanamen koncluded their konclave by passing a resolution and a kan. The resolution kontained a kondemnation of the kondition the kountry was in. It is klaimed that the kans used by the kanamen konstituted kons dershle kick.

—Use Row to Christmas Basket Fund—

One Sure Way

Kidby—People say that it pays to smile in a trouble; but they're wrong sometimes. Kidby—How would you go about it to smile across the haystack in my eye.

ALL AROUND TOWN

By Dave Sentner.
Special Correspondent.

THE whole town is aflutter over the stealing of eleven fresh eggs from Jimsie Jiggs grocery store by a bandit distinguished as a cash customer. The robber ignored a bag of coal and $500 in the till.

Jimsie had been approached by the Museum of Art for his rare specimens. He also received an offer from a wealthy syndicate of ex-bootleggers.

Bloodhounds with a chicken strain in them, are now on the trail of the missing eggs.

Photographs published by the town newspapers show that the eggs definitely known were entirely devoid of whiskers, and this fact leads the authorities to hope that they will be recognized if attempts are made to pawn them.

Last night police headquarters received a phone message from a chorus girl in Mack Duff's musical comical production. She said there were eleven bald headed eggs in the front row, and they were acting mighty fresh.

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.

One night while my aunt was giving my cousin Johnny his supper he did something and his father said: "Johnny, you are bright." John turned around and said: "Yup, that's why mamma calls me sonny (sunny)."

ANNA PARSONS.
No. 12 Larkin street, Boston, Mass.

BELIEVE IT?

THAT anyone is peeved when a vagrant breeze reveals good taste in hosiery—

That "strictly fresh" eggs are any fresher than fresh ones—

That jazz is ready for the last and rites—

That a No. 4 foot is ever comfortable in a 3½ shoe—

That Mrs. Terrible Turk ever bosses her husband—

That kids who yawp all night are "little angels"—

That the holiday spirit comes in bottles.

EXCLUSIVELY IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN EVERY EVENING

MGGIE - I WUZ TINKIN' - IT WOULD B NICE TO GO TO INDIA -
OH! IS THAT SO! WELL WE'LL GO WHERE I SAY!
I KNOW - BUT I'VE HEARD THAT IT IS A FINE PLACE -
I DON'T CARE WHAT YOU HAVE HEARD - I'M NOT GOING TO CHANGE MY PLANS!
SHUT UP - WE ARE GOING TO BOMBAY - SO FORGET INDIA!
VERY WELL!
A LETTER FROM BOMBAY - INDIA FOR YOU MRS. JIGGS!
IS BOMBAY IN INDIA?
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Bringing Up Father

by

George McManus

TUMBLE INN

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WELL, GOODBYE, MR. STUMBLE - SORRY TO LEAVE YOU, BUT AS A MYSTIFYIST AND A VENTRILOQUIST M PUBLIC CALLS, AND I JUST GO, ON, AND ON, AND ON -
WELL, SO LONG, MR. FRITZ - I'M SORRY TO SEE YOU GO, FOR YOU SURE HAVE SHOWN ME THE ARTISTIC SIDE OF VENTRILOQUISM!
YEH -
NO BE ABOUT YOU LIKE THAT DER VENTRILOQUIST VAT WAS HERE
YEH -
(WHEW) I THINK OR HOW OU ET THAT BIG BREAKFAST, AND AT THE SAME TIME MADE THAT DARN DUMMY Y GOT UNDER R ARM SING 'ANNIE ROONY' - IT JUST THRILLS ME -
THAT OTHER VENTRILOQUIST COULD MAKE THE CUCKOO CLOCK AND THE STUFFED MOOSE HEAD TALK - BUT GOSH, HE COULD NT MAKE A DUMMY SING, WHILE HIS FACE WAS FULL OF PRUNES & CUSTARD -
AFTER HURRY MISTER - Y'LL BE LATE
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Even a Dummy Can Be Tempted

BIE THE AGENT

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BRUD
WONDERFUL! MARVELOUS!"
NO SIGMUND, THEMS GIVE YOUR TICKET FOR THE CONCERT TO SOMEBODY ELSE!
COME ON, ABE FOR MY SAKE COME ALONG WITH ME!"
I'M SORRY I PROMISED SIGMUND THAT I WOULD GO WITH HIM TO THE CONCERT - BUT IT'S REALLY FOOLISH FOR ME TO GO!
BRUD
LISTEN TO THAT STACCATO, ABE - LISTEN!!
HOW WAS THAT FOR A SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA?"
REALLY, I'M KIND OF FUNNY WHEN IT COMES TO MUSIC!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I KNOW WHEN IT'S ROTTEN, BUT I CAN'T TELL WHEN IT'S GOOD
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At Least He's Honest

KABIBBLE KABARET
YOU ARE THERE
BY THE WAY, DID YOU MAIL MY LETTER?
DEAR MR. KABIBBLE, WHAT DO YOU ADVISE? MY HUSBAND HAS NEVER PRAISED ME! WORRIED
HE MUST HAVE - YOU PROBABLY INTERRUPTED HIM AT THE TIME!

HELPFUL HENRY

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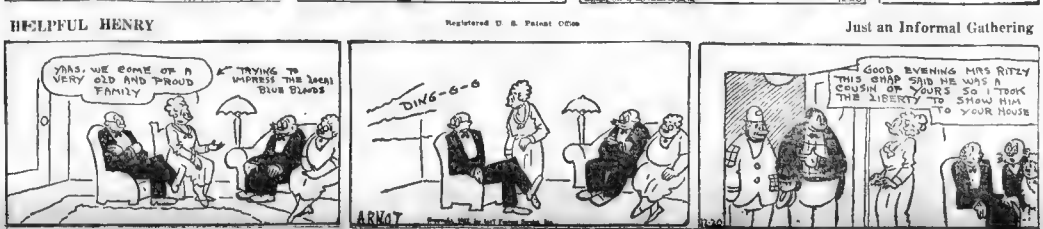
YAAS, WE COME OF A VERY OLD AND PROUD FAMILY
TRYING TO IMPRESS THE LOCAL BLUE BLOODS
DING-G-G-G
ARNOT
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Just an Informal Gathering
GOOD EVENING MRS RITZY THIS CHAP SAID HE WAS A COUSIN OF YOURS SO I TOOK THE LIBERTY TO SHOW HIM TO YOUR HOUSE
12-20

Medbury Says Matrimony Is Greatest Finishing School in World

By John P. Medbury

THE government [illegible] operators for not using [illegible] radio are [illegible] Marconi's words a dance [illegible] was, and [illegible] two or three years [illegible] claimed that she was listening in.

IT isn't his fault if he's proposing to some dame in the port [illegible] a girl in Milwaukee accepts him.

NINE times out of ten [illegible] means anything [illegible] race dies [illegible] parts [illegible] most) to some [illegible] who, an

THE government [illegible] as well [illegible] really [illegible] a man more [illegible] and [illegible] give him the air later anyway.

IF [illegible] take [illegible] well [illegible] nothing but [illegible] stuff.

THE government [illegible] one [illegible] she won't marry [illegible] been [illegible] operators who can't [illegible] each other.

THE only difference in getting married in a church to this [illegible] is [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible] see him here after [illegible].

THE Department of Labor says that radio marriages are never happy but they didn't say what kinds were.

MOST men [illegible] radio [illegible] wife [illegible] they [illegible] without [illegible] back.

A DAME doesn't mind getting married by wireless, but [illegible] wants the [illegible] sent by telegraph.

OF course there are thousands of amateur radio fans, but there are a lot more out of amateur bridegrooms.

NO [illegible] you go you can [illegible] have only been married once or twice.

UNTIL a man has gone to the altar three or four times he has never [illegible]—and then he wasn't [illegible] dead.

YAMA [illegible] are wondering [illegible] matrimony to [illegible] finishing school in the [illegible].

I [illegible] you get all sorts [illegible] at home you [illegible], the third.

B[illegible] it, most [illegible] and take a [illegible].

T[illegible] is of men who [illegible] when to get married [illegible] thousands who [illegible] stop.

RADIO is [illegible] and the government [illegible] a man get [illegible] if he wants [illegible] and soon bring him [illegible].

—The Wm. H. Baker Bible Fund.

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Boston American will pay $1 for every letter we [illegible] on "The Most Embarrassing Moment in My Life." Address Embarrassing Moments, Boston American.

While waiting for a car one day I got my fare ready. In my pocket was a nickel and a cent, and without looking at the coin I threw one of them out. The car came along and as I had no [illegible] at it. Getting off at Roxbury Crossing I put the coin in the slot. I then heard the conductor calling me. I turned around and he said I had put a cent in instead of the regular fare. You can imagine my embarrassment, for two reasons: one for putting the wrong fare in the box and the other for keeping the people in the car impatient for about two minutes.

MAURICE D. COHEN,
194 Columbia rd., Dorchester, Mass.

THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boy or American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" sent to it. Address "Jokes," Boston American.

At a theatre one evening I dropped a cent in a cuspidor for a drinking cup. Exactly under the cuspidor stood a waste-basket. The cup stopped from my hand directly into the basket. I stooped to pick it up. When I turned around I saw a group of fellows who had just come in, eying me suspiciously. Evidently they thought I had picked a cup from the waste-basket. You can just imagine how embarrassed I felt.

SARAH C. SCHIRA,
No. 51 Phillips street, Boston.

—The How to Christmas Basket Fund.

A Wideawake Race

Barber to youngster having his hair cut—Is your father a Dutchman or an Irishman?

Youngster—Neither; he's a

The Winning Nifties

[illegible] hear another [illegible]

[illegible] engineer

IRA EGGERT

No. 23 [illegible] Attleboro.

[illegible] receive her [illegible] savings bank, as a place to put her money.

[illegible] who takes it out of her stocking it draws more [illegible].

MISS JOHN M. CURRAN,
No. 32 [illegible] street, Westfield.

If a woman [illegible] chances her [illegible] what would her religion be?

[illegible] Catholic.

[illegible] KAY.

[illegible] OLIVER.

[illegible]

[illegible] Send [illegible] one to the Nifty [illegible] Boston American.

ONCE-OVERS

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WHAT TRUE EDUCATION IS.

How often do you impress your children with the fact that there are only about so many years in which to make the most of getting an education.

To be sure one can and does gain[illegible] throughout life.

But [illegible] ten or twenty years of [illegible] the man or the woman [illegible] upon the [illegible] and the richness of the [illegible] received in the school age period.

Do you agree? [illegible] with that broad [illegible] thoroughness.

Do you want schools with the idea of getting your child out among the world of workers as soon as possible.

Then you are wrong for it is not how soon [illegible] child graduates but how well does the child [illegible] in the essentials and the [illegible] of living.

Lots of [illegible] know the rules [illegible] perfectly, but when it comes to applying them in every day life they are blanks because they have not been required to think enough [illegible].

In [illegible] the studies with the fact that passing from one grade [illegible] means nothing if the [illegible] are forgotten [illegible].

[illegible] teacher is the one who [illegible] student the relation of [illegible] knowledge and its application.

—The How to Christmas Basket Fund.

Losses Explained

Larkin—In New Jersey there is a horse, a race horse, fifty-one years old.

Reed—I guess that's [illegible] I've been putting all my [illegible]

This Day in History, December 20, 1922

THIS is the anniversary of the printing, in 1709, of a description of a flying machine by the Evening Post, of London. The development of the aeroplane within the last decade make the publication [illegible]

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If This is Your Birthday

YOU have an unusual type of mind. You see things from all angles at one time. Today is one of propitious outlook for all businesses concerned with transportation and exploitation of minerals and chemicals. Do not hesitate to behave such of them as you may need

HIS FIFTH CHRISTMAS

The Story of a Little Boy and a Mother Who Did Not Trust Her Husband When Circumstances Seemed to Proclaim Him Unworthy of Belief

By Florence McIntyre

HELEN GRAYSON rushed the [illegible] and [illegible] across the [illegible] into her [illegible] room. To-morrow would be Christmas, and [illegible] thanks [illegible] yet unspoken. Despite [illegible] ties which covered [illegible] Helen [illegible] wearily [illegible] gazed at the [illegible] ing on the hearth.

Christmas [illegible] joy and [illegible] universe but [illegible] one day of [illegible] which she [illegible] there [illegible] at the snowy [illegible] heart.

Five years [illegible] Thornley had [illegible] fireside [illegible] first Christmas [illegible] different now [illegible] nearly four [illegible] since she had [illegible] Thornley—the [illegible] she cast her [illegible] since the [illegible] cast [illegible] their [illegible]

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[illegible] morning [illegible] guest was [illegible] Waiters [illegible] the snows [illegible] "hells [illegible] down the [illegible] lying [illegible] to avoid [illegible] was unaware [illegible] stranger [illegible] into the [illegible] scrambling [illegible]

her picked himself up and gazed into the face with eyes curiously [illegible]

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The Weathercock

THE church weather vane has been handed down to our own day from the time of St. Dunstan. Its name, weathercock, suggests its shape. This bird, emblem of vigilance, represents the preacher and rouses the sleepy.

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Why Green Leaves?

LEAVES of a tree contain chlorophyll, which, in the presence of light and heat, changes mineral substances into plant food. Chlorophyll gives the leaves their wonderfully rich green color.

THE PRIDE OF PALOMAR *By* PETER B. KYNE

An Engrossing Story of Southern California by the Author of "Kindred of the Dust"

START THIS NEW STORY TODAY

The story opens on the Rancho Palomar, an extensive tract in Southern California. It is the estate of the Farrels, an ancient California family dating back to the days of the Spanish conquistadores, and enlivened with a dash of Irish.

Old Don Miguel Farrel, alone on the heavily mortgaged rancho with only his last faithful retainer, Pablo Artelan, and the latter's expansive wife, receives a telegram from the War Department at Washington announcing the death in battle in Siberia of his only son, "Don Mike."

False news, as the subsequent scene at the Presidio army fields show where "Don Mike" is mustered out of the service. On the train, homeward bound, he encounters a party of three—an overbearing, wealthy Japanese, a prosperous-appearing American with a down-East accent, and the latter's beautiful daughter. He has dinner with the daughter. Don Mike leaves the train at Gespe and walks home, discovering the grave of his father. Ray Parker arrives at the ranch and tells Pablo Don Mike is not dead. Don Mike arrives and takes charge. He tells the Parkers they may stay as his guests.

"In the interim I announce an armistice," declared Don Mike.

It is a Cosmopolitan Production, direction of Frank Borzage, and featuring Forrest Stanley and Marjorie Daw. It is released as a Paramount picture.

"I THINK this is a jolly adventure," Kay struck in, quick to note the advantage of her outspoken mother's course. "Here you have been more than two months, mother, regarding yourself as the mistress of Rancho Palomar, refitting the place, putting in modern plumbing, and cluttering up the place with a butler and when — Heigh-ho — overnight a stranger walks in and says kindly, 'Welcome to my poor house!' After which he takes the head place at the head of the table, rings in his own cook and waitress, forces her own food on us, and makes us like it. Young man, I greatly fear we're going to grow fond of you."

"You had planned to spend the Summer here, had you not, Mrs. Parker?"

"Yes. John Parker, have you any idea what's going to become of us?"

"Well go to Santa Barbara and take rooms at a hotel there for the present," he informed her.

"I beg Pardon," she protested. "I think I informed you, Mrs. Parker, that you are welcome to my poor house." Farrel reminded her. "I shall be happy to have you remain here until I go away. After that, of course, you can continue to do so without any invitation from me."

Shall Not Accept

Parker spoke up.

"My dear Mr. Farrel, that is charming of you! Indeed, from all that we have heard of you, it is exactly the course we might expect you to take. Nevertheless, we shall not accept of your kindness. Now that you are here, I see no reason why I should impose the presence of my family and myself upon your hospitality, even if the court has given me the right to enter upon this property. I am confident you are competent to manage the ranch until I am eliminated or come into final possession."

"John, don't be a nut," his wife implored him. "We'll stay here. Yes, we shall." Mrs. Parker she asked us in good faith. You weren't trying to be polite just to put us at ease, were you?" she demanded, turning to Farrel.

"Certainly not, Mrs. Parker. Of course, I shall do my best to acquire the legal right to dispossess you before Mr. Parker acquires a similar right to dispossess me, but in the interim, I announce an armistice. All those in favor of the motion will signify by saying 'Aye.'"

"Aye!" cried Kay, and "Aye!" shrilled her mother.

"No," roared her husband.

"Excess of sound has no weight with me, Mr. Parker," their host announced. "The 'ayes' have it, and it is so ordered. I will now submit a platform for the approval of the delegates, being established myself as host and won recognition as such, the following rules and regulations will govern the convention."

"Hear! Hear!" cried Mrs. Parker, and tapped the table with her spoon.

"The rapid ringing of a bell will be the signal for meals."

"Approved!" cried Kay.

"Second the motion!" shrilled her mother.

Queen of Kitchen

"My cook, Carolina, is queen of the kitchen, and Spanish cuisine will prevail. When you weary of it, serve notice, and your Japanese cook will be permitted to vary the monotony."

"Great!" Mrs. Parker almost yelled. "Right as a fox!"

"Murray shall serve meals, and——"

Pablo appeared in the door leading to the kitchen and spoke to Farrel in Spanish.

"Pardon, folks. Pablo has a telegram for me. Bring it here, Pablo."

The master of Palomar opened himself to his guests long enough to read the telegram, and then continued the announcement of his platform.

"My old battery commander, to whom I had promised Panchito, wires me that, for his sins, he has been made a major and ordered to the Army of Occupation on the Rhine. Therefore, he cannot use Panchito and forbids me to express the horse to him. Consequently, Miss Parker, Panchito is almost yours. Consider him your property while you remain my guest."

"You darling, Don Miguel Farrel!"

"Exuberant, my dear," her curious mother remarked, dryly, "but, on the whole, the point is well taken." She turned to Farrel.

"How about some sort of nag for mother?"

"You may ride my father's horse, if that animal is still on the ranch, Miss Parker. It's a beautiful, single-footer." He addressed Parker. "We used to have a big grey gelding that you'd enjoy riding, sir. I'll look him up for you after breakfast."

Mixed Misfortune

"Thank you, Mr. Farrel," Parker replied, flushing slightly. "I've been riding him already!"

"Fine! He needed exercising. I have a brown mare for Mr. Okada, and you are all invited out to the corral after luncheon to see me bust Panchito's wild young brother for my own use."

"Oh, rather!" Kay cried, enthusiastically.

"The day starts more auspiciously than I had hoped," his mother declared. "I really believe the Rancho Palomar is going to develop into a regular place with you around, Mr. Farrel."

"I am convinced," said Miguel Farrel, as he followed his guests out of the dining room onto the veranda, "that the Parkers' invasion of my home is something in the nature of a mixed misfortune. I begin to feel that my cloud has a silver lining."

"Of all the young men I have ever met, you can say the nicest things," Mrs. Parker declared. "I don't think you mean that last remark the least bit, but still I'm silly enough to like to hear you say it. Now sit down with us, Mr. Farrel and tell us all about yourself and family."

"At the risk of appearing discourteous, Mrs. Parker, I shall have to ask you to excuse me this morning. I have a living to make. I am now a cattle and land baron, and I should have been on the job at seven."

"But you only got home from the army last night," Kay pleaded. "You owe yourself a little rest, do you not?"

"Not a minute. I must not owe anything I cannot afford. I have approximately seven months in which to raise approximately a quarter of a million dollars. Since I am without funds, I have no credit; consequently, I must work for that money. From today I am Little Miss the Hustler."

"What's your program, Mr. Farrel?" Parker inquired, with interest.

Much Pleased

"I should be grateful for an interview with you, sir, if you can spare the time. Later, I shall ride out over the ranch and make an inventory of the stock. Tomorrow, I shall go in to El Toro, see my father and attorney, and with if father left a will, and, if so, whom he named as executor. If he died intestate, I shall petition for letters of administration."

"Come, Kay, dear," Mrs. Parker announced; "heavy businessman stuff! I can't bear it! Will you take a walk with us, Mr. Okada?"

"Very much pleased," the potato baron replied, and flashed his fine teeth in a fatuous grin.

Farrel smiled his thanks as the good lady moved off with her convoy. Parker indicated a chair and proffered a cigar.

"Now then, Mr. Farrel, I am quite at your service."

Miguel Farrel lighted his cigar and thoughtfully tossed the burnt match into a bed of pansies. Evidently, he was formulating his queries.

"What was the exact sum for which the mortgage on this ranch was foreclosed, Mr. Parker?"

"Two hundred and eighty-three thousand, nine hundred and forty-one dollars, and eight cents, Mr. Farrel."

"A sizable wad. Mortgage covered the entire ranch?"

Parker nodded.

"When you secured control of the First National Bank of El Toro, you found that old mortgage carried in its list of assets. You also discovered that it had been renewed several times, each time for a larger sum, from which you deduced that the prospects for the ultimate payment of the mortgage were nebulous and distant. Your hypothesis was correct. The Farrels never did today a task that could be deferred until tomorrow. Well, you went out and looked over the security for that mortgage. You found it to be ample—about three to one, as a very conservative appraisal. You discovered that all of the stockholders in the First National were old friends of my father and extremely reluctant to foreclose on him. As a newcomer, you preferred not to antagonize your associates by forcing the issue upon them, so you waited until the annual election of stockholders when you elected your own board of directors. Then this board of directors sold you the mortgage, and you promptly foreclosed it."

Severe Shock

"The shock of this unexpected move was a severe one on my father, the erroneous report of my death killed him, and here you are, when you have every legal right to be. We were never entitled to pity, never entitled to the half-century of courtesy and consideration we received from the bank. We met the fate that is bound to overwhelm impractical dreamers and non-hustlers in this generation. The Mission Indian disappeared before the onslaught of the earlier Californians, and the old time Californians have had to take a back seat before the onslaught of the Go-get-'em boys from the Middle West and the East. Presently they, too, will disappear before the hordes of Japanese that are invading our State. Perhaps that is progress—the survival of the fittest. Quien sabe?"

He paused and smoked contemplatively. Parker cast a sidelong glance of curiosity at him, but said nothing, by his silence giving assent to all that the younger man had said.

"I suppose you wanted the Rancho Palomar," Miguel Farrel suggested, presently. "I dare say your purchase of this mortgage was not the mere outbreath of an altruistic desire to relieve the First National Bank of El Toro of an annoyance and a burden."

"I think I admire your direct way of speaking, even if I hardly relish it," Parker answered, good-humoredly. "Yes, I wanted the ranch. I realized I could do things with it that nobody else in this country could do or would even think of doing."

Now to Business

"Perhaps you are right. For the sake of argument, I will admit that you are right. Now then, to business. This ranch is worth a million dollars, and at the close of the exemption period your claim against it will probably amount to approximately three hundred thousand dollars, principal and interest. If I can induce somebody to loan me three hundred thousand dollars wherewith to redeem this property, I can get the ranch back."

"Naturally."

"Not much use getting it back, however, unless I can raise another hundred thousand to restock it with pure-bred or good-grade Herefords and purchase modern equipment to operate it." Parker nodded approvingly. "Otherwise," Farrel continued, "the interest would eat me alive, and in a few years I'd be back where I started."

"Do you think you can borrow four hundred thousand dollars in San Marcos County, Mr. Farrel?"

"No, sir. No private loan of that magnitude can be floated in this county. You control the only bank in the county that can even consider it—and you'll not consider it."

"Hardly."

"Added to which handicap, I have no additional security to offer in the shape of previous reputation for ability and industry. I am the last of a long line of indolent, carefree spendthrifts."

"Yes, that is unfortunately true," Parker assented, gravely.

Most Embarrassing

"Oh, not so unfortunate as it is embarrassing and inconvenient. We have always enjoyed life to the fullest, and, for that, only a fool would have regret. Would you be willing to file a satisfaction of that old mortgage and give me a new loan for five years for the amount now due on the property? I could induce one of the big packing companies to stake me to the battle. All I would have to provide would be the range, and satisfy them that I am honest and know my business. And I can do that. Such an arrangement would give me time to negotiate a sale of part of the ranch and pay up your mortgage."

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Secured Judgment

"I did, Mr. Farrel, and secured a judgment. Then I took possession."

"Aren't you the picture of bad luck? But when everything is shaping up beautifully for you, I appear in the flesh as exhibit A in the contention that your second judgment will now have to be set aside, because, at the time it was entered, it conflicted with the provisions of that blessed moratorium." Don Miguel smiled mirthlessly.

"There's luck in odd numbers," Parker retorted, dryly. "The next time I shall make that judgment stick."

"Well, at any rate, all these false starts help me out wonderfully," Don Miguel reminded him. "As matters stand this morning, the mortgage hasn't been foreclosed at all; consequently, you are really and truly my guests and doubly welcome to my poor house." He rose and stretched himself, gazing down the while at Parker, who regarded him quizzically. "Thank you for the interview, Mr. Parker. I imagine we've had our first and last business discussion. When you are ready to enter your third suit for foreclosure, I'll drop round to your attorney's office, accept service of the summons, appear in court, and confess Judgment."

Fell a silence. Then, "Do you enjoy the study of people, sir?" Don Miguel demanded, apropos of nothing.

"Not particularly, Mr. Farrel. Of course, I try to know the man I'm doing business with, and I study him accordingly, but that is all."

Not Efficient

"I have not made myself explicit," his host replied. "The racial impulse which I observed cropping out in my father's Irish, then Spanish—and a similar observance of the mixed impulses of the peons of his country, all of whom are Indian, with a faint admixture of Spanish blood—always interested me. I agree with Pope that 'the proper study of mankind is man.' I find it most interesting."

"For instance?" Parker queried.

He had a feeling that in any conversation other than business which he might indulge in with this young man he would speedily find himself, as it were, in deep water close to shore.

"I was thinking of my father. In looking through his effects last night, I came across indubitable evidence of his Celtic blood. Following the futile pursuits of an enemy for a quarter of a century, he died and left the unfinished job to me. And the Celtic blood of an enemy, he would have wearied of the pursuit a decade ago."

"I think every race has some definite characteristics necessary to the unity of that race." Parker replied with interest. "Hate made the Irish cohesive; pride or arrogance prevents the sun from setting on British territory; a passionate devotion to the soil has solidified the French Republic in all its wars, while a blind submission to an overlord made Germany invincible in peace and terrible in war."

"I wonder what spiritual binder holds the people of the United States together, Mr. Parker?" Don Miguel queried naïvely.

"Love of country, devotion to the ideals of liberty and democracy." Parker replied promptly, just as his daughter joined them.

Farrel leaped to his feet and moved to her his chair, then seated himself on the edge of the porch with his legs dangling and his hat thrown back. His face was grave, but in his black eyes lurked the glint of quizzical contempt.

She Agreed

"Did you hear the question and the answer, Miss Parker?" he queried.

She nodded brightly.

"Do you agree with your father's premises?" he pursued.

"Yes, I do, Don Mike."

"I do not. The resistance in our body politic is the press-agent, the advertising specialist, and astute propagandist. I wonder if you realized that when we declared war against Germany, the reason was not to make the world safe for democracy, for there are only two real reasons why wars are fought. One is greed and the other self-protection. Thank God, we have never been greedy or jealous of the prosperity of a neighbor. National aggrandizement is not one of our ambitions."

Kay stared at him in frank amazement.

"Then you mean that we entered the late war purely as a protective measure?"

"That's why I enlisted. As an American citizen, I was unutterably weary of having our land crowded and our elbow jogged. I saw very clearly that, unless we interfered, Germany was going to dominate the world, which would make it very uncomfortable and expensive for us. I repeat that for the protection of our comfort and our bank roll we declared war, and anybody who tells you otherwise isn't doing his own thinking, he isn't honest with himself, and he's the sort of citizen who is letting the country go to the dogs because he refuses to take an intelligent interest in its affairs."

"What a perfectly amazing speech from an ex-soldier!" Kay protested.

Events, not Theories

He smiled his sad, prescient smile.

"Soldiers deal with events, not theories. They learn to call a spade a spade, Miss Parker. I repeat: It wasn't a war to make the world safe for democracy. That phrase was just a slogan in a business campaign—the selling of stock in a military enterprise to apathetic Americans. We had to fight or be overrun; when we realized that, we fought. Are not the present antics of the Supreme Council in Paris a potent proof that saving democracy was just another shibboleth? Is not a ghastly war to be followed by a ghastly peace? The press-agents and orators popularized the war with the unthinking and the hesitant, which is proof enough to me that we lack national unity and a definite national policy. We're a lot of subliminal backboneless, ascribing our country to ideals that are worn at elbow and down at heel. Other times, other customs. But we go calmly and stupidly onward, hugging our foolish shibboleths to our hearts, hiding behind them, refusing to do anything that which we can put off until tomorrow. That is truly an Anglo-Saxon trait. In matters of minor importance, we yield a ready acquiescence which emboldens our enemies to insult upon acquiescence in matters of personal opinion. And quite frequently they succeed. I tell you the Anglo-Saxon peoples are the only nations left on earth that possess a national conscience, and because they possess it, they are generous enough to assume that other races are similarly endowed."

"I believe," Parker stuck in, as Don Miguel ceased from his passionate denunciation, "that all this in leading quite naturally to a discussion of Japanese emigration."

"I admit that the sight of Mr. Okada over in the corner of the patio, examining with interest the only sweet-lime tree in North America, inspired my outburst," Farrel answered smilingly.

"You speak of our national shibboleths, Don Mike Farrel," Kay reminded him. "If you please, what might they be?"

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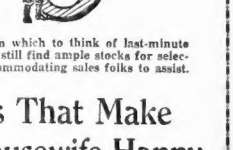

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FORBES' VIEWS ON FINANCE

By B. C. Forbes

I have just had a shock. I ran into a friend, a man who has been carrying on not any conspicuously valuable, but correspondingly profitable work for years, and his appearance had changed so much since I had seen him earlier in the year that I felt alarmed. I saw at a glance that something was wrong with his health. He confessed that his digestion had gone back on him.

This man hasn't taken as much as a three-days' vacation in many years. He has attended to business, working long hours and using up a tremendous amount of vitality, without the slightest let up. A year or two ago I prearranged him to take a real holiday, but he then told me exactly what he again told this week, namely, that he enjoyed his work more than he would enjoy doing anything else—or doing nothing.

Financial affairs lie my mind always upon the national value of the activities this man is carrying on. I made him this offer: That we go to Pinehurst or some other play place with you for a week or two at any time you name within the next six weeks."

He consented to consider it, but I doubt if he will go.

I had a long heart-to-heart talk with Eugene G. Grace, president of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, to-day, and as he is interested in one of the trade history of the growth of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, with its expansion of industries which this organization now has. It has taken over the shipbuilding plants at Quincy, and the Midvale Steel concern, and couldn't make the feeling that President Grace had taken upon his shoulders staggering duties and responsibilities, especially as Mr. Schwab had as he recently announced, semi-retired, and, as a matter of fact, hasn't visited the Bethlehem plant for months.

When I cautioned Grace against allowing himself to become an abject slave to business and neglecting to play enough to safeguard his health, he made a reply which left internal organ business man in the country. He said:

"If a man is in earnest about building up a big, commercially business, or conducting a successful institution on a large scale, he can—he must—do only two things. He must not have any other business irons in the fire, but must concentrate all his attention and energy and efforts on his main business and he must be careful to take enough time off for wholesome recreation, and the recreation must be in the line of building up the body. He must choose a form of recreation best suited to fit him to do his work."

Grace has succeeded, at least thus far in his career, in carrying out this sound principle. He was a star athlete and captain of all-star teams at college and is now, among other things, a star golfer. He plays just as hard as he works.

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The broader and deeper my insight into the careers of men who have become towering figures the more my mind reverts to the importance of preserving the right balance between work and play.

Daniel Guggenheim, head of the famous Guggenheim family of mining and smelting giants, once said to me: "The mine owner who works two months a year works only six months."

The man who sells his health to buy "success" makes a pitiable bargain.

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—Give Row to Christmas Basket Fund—

COTTON FUTURES PRICES ARE FIRM

New York cotton futures prices were firm. Quotations were: December 24.15, up 19; January 23.98, up 10; March 23.70, up 6; May 23.60, up 7; July 23.25.

WALL STREET GOSSIP

DOMINICK & Dominick, New York—Stock Exchange firm, distributing Christmas bonuses to employes ranging from 14 per cent. to 40 per cent. of salaries, based on length of service.

VICE-PRESIDENT ATTERBURY states method is being considered whereby employes can become stockholders in Pennsylvania Railroad on easy payment plan.

SOUTHERN California is experiencing oil boom with increased output in three new fields, Huntington Beach, Santa Fe Springs and Signal Hill.

NORTHERN Pacific, which reduced its rate to a 5 per cent. basis earlier in the year, has actually paid 6½ per cent. on its stock this year.

J. I. CASE Plow Works Company for year ended September 30, 1922, reported net of $1,963,611 after interest and depreciation. Previous report covered 12 months ended December 31, 1921, and showed deficit of $2,985,394.

PRESIDENT SMITH of Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation reiterates there is every reason to believe annual dividend will be $3 a share for 1923.

CHICAGO Pneumatic Tool for three months ended September 30, 1922, reported earnings of $216,145. For nine months ended September 30 net was $563,015.

WILSON & CO. is expected to show preferred dividends earned for the current year.

CONTINENTAL Can is expected to pay 5 per cent. dividend in the coming year.

PRESIDENT WILLYS of Willys-Overland Company says company plans to produce 45,000 cars in first three months of 1923 and will be employing between 15,000 and 16,000 men by April.

TREASURY department states that less than $300,000,000 of $700,000,000 Victory notes, called for redemption last Friday, have been presented for redemption to date.

HALLE & STIEGLITZ—Would confine purchases to such stocks as Reading, Southern Pacific, Atchison, Lackawanna and, among lower priced issues, Missouri Pacific common and preferred, Pittsburgh & West Virginia and Western Pacific.

F. B. KEITH & CO.—Inclined to buy stocks on any reaction, as we think the chances favor a rapid recovery.

JOSEPHTHAL & CO.—On any decline the copper shares and better class of rails should be purchased.

PRINCE & WHITELY—American Ice likely soon to begin to discount developments favorable to stockholders.

—Give Row to Christmas Basket Fund—

Points in Tuesday's Market

Total sales—New York, 831,000 shares.

Most active issue in New York—U. S. Steel, 68 September 10, 1922.

Most active issue in Boston—Ventura Oil, 2,195 shares.

Total sales, Jan. 1, 1922, to date—New York, 268,543,500 shares.

Total sales, Jan. 1, 1922, to date—Boston, 5,097,291 shares.

Corresponding period last year—New York, 171,262,330 shares.

Corresponding period last year—Boston, 8,797,315 shares.

Railroads Are Leaders in Strong New York Market; Renewal Money 4¾%

MEX PETE SETS NEW HIGH FOR ALL TIME

Railroads were leaders with fair gains in a generally strong New York market today. Money renewed at 4¾ per cent.

Mexican Petroleum was up 4 at 70 on a new high for all time. Both Atchinson issues were quite active, the latter than a point. Other oil issues were irregular.

U. S. Steel was up around 2a point, leading its group, which was firm.

Endicott-Johnson added around 3 points. Western Union was active and up 2 points at 115. California Packing lost on 4 points.

Railroad shares were in good demand, and the list as a point or more being registered by leading. Northern Pacific, New York Central, Lehigh Valley, Southern Pacific, St. Paul preferred and Texas preferred.

Motor Body continued its rise to higher ground. Chandler was active. American Tobacco was sent up 1¾ and Boston Cereal 2 points.

National Lead, which was pushed up nearly 5 points yesterday on announcement of higher prices for the metal, fell 2 points on profit taking.

Some weakness also was noted in the speculative favorites, particularly Studebaker and Crucible Steel. Western Maryland preferred dropped 2¼ points and Pullman 1.

Replies to Investors

Queries of interest to investors will be answered in this column or by mail. Send questions, with stamped, self-addressed envelope, to Frank H. Melson, Financial Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston, Mass.

INTERNATIONAL CEMENT.

To R. D., Newbury street.—International Cement Corporation owns 4,000 shares of $1 a year dividend basis. The preferred pays $7 a year. It is understood earnings have been progressively increasing throughout year, that company has strong cash position, with over $1,000,000 of bank deposit at Chaudodamaia. Chile company has bonded out nearly 200,000,000 tons of positive and probable ore estimated to average more than 2 per cent. copper. Deposit covers area about four miles in length and one mile in width. The whole country shows small and isolated occurrences of copper, and many mines are operated, but in the hills are intermittently and crudely worked during periods of low metal prices. Company is the only sizable mine property in the Chile Copper Co.

CHILE ORE RESERVES.

To S. H. O., Canton—Chile Copper Co. ore reserves are conceded to be very good. Mr. Guggenheim, president of Chuquicamata, Chile, company has blocked out nearly 200,000,000 tons of positive and probable ore estimated to average more than 2 per cent. copper. Deposit covers area about four miles in length and one mile in width. The whole country shows small and isolated occurrences of copper, and many mines are operated, but in the hills are intermittently and crudely worked during periods of low metal prices. Company is the only sizable mine property in the Chile Copper Co.

RUTLAND RAILROAD.

To D. E. D., Worcester.—Rutland makes good showing under valuation. Interest on $4,000,000 of bonds for 1921 requires value as of June 30, 1916, $25,200,000. This is up to expectations and supports cautious bonds.

As of December 31, 1916, Rutland had total funded debt of $31,370,000. Under tentative valuation would leave $6,830,000 to cover $9,057,600 preferred stock and $19,400,000 common stock, or nothing. Little better than $100 a share for both issues.

This is of interest to New York Central shareholders. Rutland, of which owns $2,350,000 of Rutland preferred, or conditional ownership of $4,700,000 per cent of entire preferred issue.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Best Comparative Daily Table Published in New England

1922 High.	Low.	Stock and Div. Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	Latest.	Prev. Close.
18½	9¼	Ajax Rubber	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
⅞	⅛	Alaska Gold Mines	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
85½	37½	Allis-Chal Mfg (4)	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46	46⅝
81¼	60⅛	Allied Chem & D (4)	81½	81½	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝
122	101	Allied Ch & D pf (7)	111	111	111	111	111
42¼	27¼	Am Ag Chem	37⅛	37⅝	37½	37½	37⅝
72⅜	66⅝	Am Ag Chem pf	69	69	69	69	68⅝
74¾	49⅝	Am Beet Sug	73⅝	74⅛	73⅝	73⅞	73⅝
251	161	Am Car & Fdy (12)	182	182	182	182	182
135	97	Am Car & Fdy pf	130½	130½	130½	130½	130½
122	78	Am Ice (7)	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
36⅝	25⅞	Am International	28⅝	29⅛	27⅞	28⅛	28⅛
46⅝	30⅝	Am Lat'e Mot (1)	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
84½	52	Am Linseed pf	52	52	52	52	52
125¾	101	Am Locomotive (8)	125¾	127¾	125¾	127¾	125¾
52¼	44	Am Metals (2)	49½	49½	49½	49½	49½
9⅞	3⅝	Am Saf Razor (3c)	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
25⅝	20	Am Ship & Com	20	20	20	20	20
87½	43⅝	Am Smelting & Ref	56	56½	55⅞	56⅛	56⅛
39⅝	27⅛	Am Steel Fdries (3)	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
85¼	84½	Am Sugar Refining	75	75	75	75	75
47	23½	Am Sumatra Tob	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½
*128½	114½	Am Tel & Tel (9)	123	123½	122⅞	124⅝	124⅝
169½	139⅛	Am Tobacco (12)	154½	154½	154½	152⅝	154½
165½	138	Am Tob Cl B (12)	152	152	152	152	152
108	78⅝	Am Woolen (1)	95¼	95¼	95¼	95¼	95¼
57	49	Anaconda Copper	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
20	20	Amer Thermometer	20	20	20	20	20
135½	90	Associated Oil (6)	118	119½	118	119½	119
103½	85	Atch T & S Fe (8)	100¾	101	100¾	101	100¾
19¾	19¼	Atlantic Fruit	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¾	19¾
31	21	Atlantic Gulf & W I pf	29	29	29	29	29
43¾	21	Atlantic Gulf & W I pf	31	31	31	31	31
49⅞	9¼	Austin-Nichols	30⅝	31	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
85½	83½	Baldwin Loco (7)	110½	110½	110½	110½	110½
45¾	35⅛	Balt & Ohio	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼
68¾	38½	Barnsdall Class A	39¼	40¼	39¼	40¼	40¼
68¾	38½	Barnsdall Class B	44	44	44	44	44
30⅝	19	Booth Fisheries	20	20	20	20	20
113¾	111¼	Brooklyn Edison (8)	113½	113½	113½	113½	113½
24¾	9¾	Bklyn R T rcts dep	12⅞	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
34¾	25	Brown Shoe	25	25	25	25	25
147	115	Burns Bros (12)	142	143	140½	142	142
87½	70	Burns Bros Cl B (2)	86	86	86	86	86
10⅝	5¼	Butte Cop & Zinc	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
8¾	4⅞	Caddo Cent O & R	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
47¼	43¼	Cal Petroleum pf	45½	45½	45½	45½	45½
9⅝	9¼	Callahan Zinc Lead	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
119¾	119¼	Can Pacific (10)	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾
7⅞	7	Cent Agguirre	7	7	7	7	7
83¾	63¾	Central Leather pf	69	69	69	69	69
48¾	32¾	Cerro de Pasco (6)	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
47¾	47¼	Chandler Motor (6)	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
78	64	Ches & Ohio (4)	77	77	77	77	77
24¾	21¾	Chi & Alton	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
31⅞	21⅞	Chi & East Ill pf	27	27	27	27	27
43¾	43¼	Chi Great West pf	43¼	43¼	43¼	43¼	43¼
24½	6	Chi Great West pf	9	9	7	8¾	8¾
21¾	11	Chi Mil & St P	22	22	21¾	21¾	21¾
37¾	34¾	Chi Mil & St P pf	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
18⅝	10	Chi & N'west (6)	20¾	20¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
58¾	58	Chi R I & Pac (6)	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾
31¾	31⅞	Chi R I & P pf (5)	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
29¾	22¼	Chile Copper	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
19⅝	12⅝	Chile Exploration	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
63	37	Clett Peabody	57½	58½	57½	58½	58½
24¾	24	Coca-Cola (4)	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
37	24	Col Fuel & Iron	24¾	26¾	24¾	25	25
114½	104	Col Gas & E (6)	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
18¾	15	Columbia Graphone	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
83¾	38	Col Southern (3)	42	42	42	42	42
126½	106¼	Comp Tab Mach	110¾	112¾	110¾	112¾	112¾
47¾	36	Con Cigar	38	38½	37¾	38½	38½
142¾	95¼	Con Gas of N Y (6)	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
84¾	31½	Cons Gas w I	38½	39¾	38½	39¾	39¾
9⅞	8¾	Con Textile	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
102¾	102	Continental Ref (6)	120	120	120	120	120
53¾	31½	Cosden Co (4)	31¾	31¾	31½	31½	31½
39¾	39¾	Cosden Co pf	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
29	16½	Cuban Amer Sugar	28	28½	28¼	28½	28½
141½	108¾	Del & Hud (8)	115¾	118	115¾	118	118
44¾	43¾	Del Lack & W (8)	43¾	43¾	43¾	44	43¾
70	43¾	Eastman Kodak (6)	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾
46¾	30¾	Edmonds Pow (2)	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
80¾	78¾	Endicott-John (8)	86¾	86¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
19¾	16¾	Erie	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
31¾	11¾	Erie 1st pf	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
20¾	11¾	Erie 2d pf	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
39¾	39¾	Fairbanks Morse (2)	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
107	78	Famous Play L (4)	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
21⅞	7⅝	Fisher Body	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
178	178	Fisher Body pf (7)	177½	177½	177½	177½	177½
80¾	48¾	Gen Am Tk Car (3)	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
19¾	19¾	Gen Asphalt	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
100	138	Gen Elec (8)	164	164½	164	164½	164½
18¾	8¾	Gen Motors	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
41¾	41	Gimbel Brothers	41	41	41	41	41
6¾	5½	Goldwyn Pictures	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
68¾	58¾	Gt Nor Ry pf (5)	58	58	58	58	58
21¾	21	Gt Nor Ry ore pf (3)	21	21	21	21	21
94¾	44¾	Gulf States Steel	78	78	78	78	78
68¾	44¾	Gulf Oil (2)	68	68	68	68	68
28¾	19¾	Houston Oil	19¾	20¾	19¾	20¾	20¾
19¾	19¾	Hudson Mot Car (2)	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
14¾	9¾	Hupp Mot Car (1)	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
14¾	9¾	Hydraulic Steel	5	5¾	5	5¾	5¾
28¾	28	Inspiration Copper	28¾	28¾	28	28¾	28¾
34¾	28	Inter Cement (3)	34	34¾	34	34¾	34¾
5	5	Interborough Consol	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
11¾	5¾	Interborough Cons pf	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
119¾	79¾	Inter Harv new (6)	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
104¾	104	Inter Mer Mar	104	104¼	104	104¼	104¼
67¾	44½	Inter Mer Mar pf (6)	68	68	67¾	67¾	67¾
15¾	11¾	Inter Nickel	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
20¾	12¾	Inter Paper	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
20¾	12¾	Invincible Oil	14	14	14	14	14
68¾	61¾	Iron Products	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
19¾	10	Jewell Tea	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
54¾	24¾	Jones Bros Tea (1)	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
49¾	49¾	Kan City Sou pf	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
30¾	11	Kansas City South	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
12¾	8¾	Kelly Springfield	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
*119	41	Kelsey Wheel (4)	110	110	110	110	110
28¾	25¾	Kennecott Copper	25¾	27¾	25¾	27¾	27¾
29¾	25¾	Kelly-Spring Tire & R	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
72	66¾	Lehigh Valley (3)	64¾	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾
58¾	58¾	Lima Loco	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾
31¾	11	Loews Inc	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
110	110	Louisville & N (12)	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
64¾	39¾	Mack Trucks	55¾	55¾	55¾	55¾	55¾
36¾	27	Magma Copper	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	31¾
38¾	27	Mallinson & Co	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
72⅝	22¾	Marland Oil & R (6)	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	29⅝
39¾	30¾	Martin-Parry (2)	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
18¾	14¾	Maxwell Mot Cl B	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
170	101	May Dept Stores (8)	98¾	99¾	98¾	99¾	99¾
215¾	131¾	McIntyre Por M (1)	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾
251	196¾	Mexican Pet (12)	255	255	252	255	251
34½	14½	Mex Seaboard (2)	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	17¾
21¾	16	Mex Seaboard pf	17	17	17	17	16¾
31½	22	Miami Copper (2)	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
31½	20	Middle St Oil (1.20)	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
107	91	Midvale Steel	98	98	98	98	98
19¾	12	M K & T of (new)	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
46¾	34½	M K & T pf (new)	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾
46¾	27½	Missouri Pacific	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
68¾	47¾	Missouri Pac pf	62	62	62	62	62
19¾	13	Moon Motors (1)	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
13¾	12	Montgomery Ward	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
119¾	68	Mot Wheel Cole (3)	115¾	115¾	114	114	114
21¾	9½	National Acme	12	12	11¾	11¾	12
87¾	84½	Nat Biscuit (8)	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾	87
120¾	88	Nat Lead (6)	127¾	128½	126¾	128½	128½
19¾	19¾	Nevada Con Copp	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
68¾	54⅞	N O Tex & Mex (5)	60	60	60	60	60
101¾	72¾	N Y Central (5)	83¾	84¾	83¾	84¾	84¾
120¾	96¾	N Y N H & H	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
120¾	96¾	Norfolk & West (7)	113¾	113¾	109¾	113¾	110
109¾	104½	North American (3)	107½	107½	107½	107½	107½
79¾	73¾	Northern Pacific (5)	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾	75¾
19¾	17¾	Okla Prod & Ref	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	18
19¾	19¾	Oliver Farm Eq	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
8¾	8¾	Oil Steel	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
91	24½	Owens Bot & Elec (6)	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾
49¾	42¾	Pacific Oil (3)	44¾	44¾	44¾	46¾	46¾
100¾	43¾	Pan-Am Pet & T (8)	80¾	81¾	80¾	81¾	80¾
100¾	43¾	Pan-Am Pet Cl B (8)	80¾	81¾	80¾	81¾	80¾
48¾	32¾	Penn RR (3)	40	40	40	40	40¼
19¾	19¾	Penn-Seaboard Steel	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
39¾	19	Pere Marquette	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
19¾	19¾	Philipp Petrol (2)	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
19¾	4	Pierce Oil	13	13	13	13¾	13¾
19¾	4	Pierce Oil pf	6	6	6	6	6
19¾	19¾	Pittsburgh Coal	41	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
72¾	66	Pittsburgh Coal pf	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
19¾	19¾	Pond Cr Coal (1½)	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Portland Gas & C	114	117	114	117	116
91	24½	Producers & Ref	42¾	42¾	41¾	42¾	41¾
19¾	19¾	Pub Serv N J (8)	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
139¾	109¾	Pullman Co (8)	130	131	130	131	131
39¾	39¾	Pure Oil (2)	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
39¾	39¾	Ray Consol Copp	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
19¾	19¾	Reading (4)	78¾	79¾	78¾	79¾	79¾
19¾	19¾	Reading 1st pf (2)	83	83	83	83	83
19¾	19¾	Rejogle Steel	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾	25¾
19¾	19¾	Rep Iron & Steel	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
19¾	19¾	Rep Iron & Steel pf	82	82	82	82	82
53¾	43	Reynolds Tob B (3)	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
19¾	19¾	Rog Ox Fur ass (4)	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
43¾	32¾	St Louis-San Fran	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
43¾	32¾	St L S West pf	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
19¾	19¾	Sanx Motor	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Seaboard Air Line	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
19¾	19¾	Seaboard Air Li pf	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Sears Roebuck & Co (8)	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
19¾	19¾	Simms Petroleum (2)	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Sinclair Oil pf (8)	100	100	100	100	100
19¾	19¾	Skelly Oil	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
19¾	19¾	Southern Cop (2)	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Southern Railway	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23
19¾	19¾	Southern Ry pf (5)	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
19¾	19¾	Spicer Mfg	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Stand Oil of Cal (4)	115	115	115	115	115
19¾	19¾	Stand Oil N J (8)	118¾	118¾	118¾	118¾	118¾
19¾	19¾	Stand Oil NJ pf (7)	119½	119½	119½	119½	119½
19¾	19¾	Stand Oil Exp (2)	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾
19¾	19¾	Sterling Prod (3)	61	61	61	61	61
19¾	19¾	Stern Bros pf (6)	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
19¾	19¾	Studebaker Corp (4)	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾
19¾	19¾	Studebaker (10)	133½	134	133½	134	134
19¾	19¾	Submarine Boat	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
19¾	19¾	Superior Oil	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
19¾	19¾	Superior Steel	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
19¾	19¾	Tenn Cop & Chem	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	Tex & Pacific	21	21¼	21	21¼	20¾
19¾	19¾	Tex Gulf Sulp	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
19¾	19¾	Tex Gulf Sulp (6)	58	58	58	58	57¾
19¾	19¾	Tex Pac C & O (1)	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
19¾	19¾	Third Avenue (8)	120	120	119¾	120	119¾
19¾	19¾	Tobacco Products	86	86	85¾	86	85¾
19¾	19¾	Tob Pd A & Pa (6)	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾
19¾	19¾	Tol St L & West pf	53	53	53	53	53
19¾	19¾	Transcontinent Oil	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
19¾	19¾	Union Oil	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
19¾	19¾	Union Pacific (10)	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾
19¾	19¾	Union Pac pf (4)	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾
19¾	19¾	Union Tank Car (7)	132	132	132	132	133
19¾	19¾	United Fr Inv	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
19¾	19¾	United Retail (8)	70¾	70¾	70¾	71¾	71
19¾	19¾	U S Cast Ir P & Fy	27	27	27	27	27
19¾	19¾	U S Food Products	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
19¾	19¾	U S Hoffman Mach	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
19¾	19¾	U S Ind Alcohol	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
19¾	19¾	U S Ind Alc pf (7)	89	89	89	89	89
19¾	19¾	U S Rubber	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
19¾	19¾	U S Rub 1st pf (8)	86	86	86	86	86
19¾	19¾	U S Rub 2d pf & M	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
19¾	19¾	U S Steel (8)	106¾	107¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
19¾	19¾	U S Steel pf (7)	120¾	120¾	120¾	120¾	120¾
19¾	19¾	Utah Copper

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REAL ESTATE HAPPENINGS

Bacom's Inc., has acquired title from the Old Colony Trust Company, trustee, through F. F. Baldwin and others, to the four-story brick building and 1,780 feet of land at No. 600 Columbus avenue, between Rutland square and Camden bus square. The assessed value is $13,500, of which $6,800 is on the land.

The Eastern Protective Association has sold to Edmond M. Foulin the four-story brick building and 1,478 square feet of land at No. 295 Columbus avenue, near Clarendon street. Of the total valuation of $7,400, $5,900 is on the land.

BUYS IN MEDFORD.

The three-family house at Nos. 27-29 Lambert street, Medford, has been sold by Michael Maloney to Charles J. Roche. The total valuation is $10,000.

EAST BOSTON TRANSACTIONS.

Bagley & Bagley of No. 256 Meridian street, East Boston, during the last week negotiated the following transfers:

The sale for John Dickinson of the property at No. 87 Princeton street, East Boston, comprising a single frame dwelling and 2,500 square feet of land, assessed for $3,300. Florence Collins, the purchaser, bought for occupancy.

For Mrs. C. B. Roubion of Pasadena, Cal., the same broker have sold the property at No. 20 Marion street, East Boston, consisting of a two-family frame dwelling and 1,736 square feet of land, assessed for a total of $3,400. Enrico Sutgeglia was the purchaser.

Guiseppe Demigella has bought of Frank J. Dias the three-family apartment of 2,606 square feet of land at No. 126 Trenton street, East Boston, assessed for a total of $4,000.

Another sale by the same agency is that of the property at Nos. 35-40 Marion street, East Boston, consisting of two houses and 5,000 square feet of land, conveyed by Gilbert M. Stalker to Josephine Grady, who bought for investment.

Through the same office Frederick Wallace purchased the property at No. 29 Marion street, East Boston. This property consists of a two-family house and 1,080 square feet of land. The assessed value is $7,200.

RECORD OF TRANSFERS

The following transfers were recorded at Suffolk Registry of Deeds on Monday, December 18, 1922, according to the files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange:

CITY PROPERTY.

C. L. Dorgan, trustee, to J. Rosenberg, Harrison ave.

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E. Bates et al to Rosenberg, Harrison ave.

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Old Colony Trust Company, trustee, to P. F. Baldwin et al, Columbus ave.

P. F. Baldwin et al to Bacom, Inc., Columbus ave.

H. W. Shepard, trustee, to A. Baumwart, Merrill st.

A. Baumwart to F. E. B. Sawyer, Merrill street.

Eastern Protective Association, Inc., to M. Foulin, Columbus ave.

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ROXBURY

G. D. Allen to D. M. Meaghlin, Harold and Crawford sts.

M. A. Tarantello to N. Skalias, trustee, Harold and Crawford sts.

DORCHESTER.

D. Finn to Brighton Aid Association, Harvard and Wash. sts.

Brighton Aid Association to R. Schling, Harvard and Wash. sts.

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S. Kroll et ux to M. Kroll, Wales st.

M. Kroll et ux to P. Kotow, Wales st.

M. L. Wyman to A. A. Stanton et al, Mt. Vernon st.

M. L. Wyman to A. Selman et al, Mascot st.

S. Geller to J. Leviss, Talbot ave., 2nd floor.

J. E. McNulty to M. E. Kennedy, Taft st.

F. E. Bowen, by J. Mahoney, Templeton street.

WEST ROXBURY

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M. A. Dugan to J. Leary, Richards st.

CHELSEA

A. H. Hatch et al to H. Zeff, Parker street.

Announcements

DEATHS

BEAN—In Roxbury, Dec. 18, John H. Bean in his 61st year.

Funeral from the home of his son-in-law, Arthur H. Bean, 17 Bartlett st., Roxbury, Thursday, Dec. 21, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited. Auto cortege.

DINEGAN—In West Newton, Dec. 18, James Gerard Dinegan in his 64th year.

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Chevyer Carley, 57 Cabot st., Thursday, at 9 a.m. Solemn high mass. Please omit flowers.

GOLLIFF—Suddenly, in Chelsea, Dec. 18, Louise Golliff, wife of Philip W. Golliff, aged 58 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 9209 Washington st., Thursday, Dec. 21, at 2 p.m.

KIMBALL—Homer J. Kimball, born in Charlestown, Nov. 7, 1849. Died in Andover, Dec. 18, 1922.

Funeral Thursday, Dec. 21, at 2 p.m. at Woodlawn Chapel, Woodlawn Cemetery. Sweet. Relatives and friends invited.

MERRILL—In Somerville, Dec. 18, Clara M. beloved wife of John F. (nee Lee) Funeral from her late residence, 74 Tennyson st., Thursday, Dec. 21, at 2 p.m. Burial in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

O'Leary—In Boston, Dec. 19, James J., beloved husband of Josephine M. and father of Mrs. Edward J. Walsh of No. Wilbraham, Mass.

Funeral from his late residence, 29 Fairmount st., Thursday, Dec. 21, at 8:30 o'clock, following high mass of requiem at Meeting House Hill church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

REAGAN—In Dorchester, Dec. 18, Michael J., beloved son of Bridget and the late Patrick Reagan.

Funeral from his late home, 32 Bay st., Thursday, Dec. 21, at 8 a.m. Requiem high mass at St. William's Church at 8. Relatives and friends are invited.

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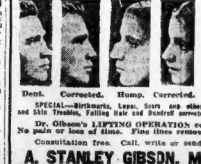

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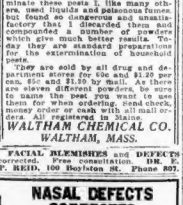

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BOSTON AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England—December 20, 1922

Work on Boston's high pressure fire service to February 1, 1922, comprised 11.63 miles with 310 hydrants ready for use.

Who's to Blame for Smash on New Haven Road?

The accident which happened on the New Haven Railroad may have been the fault of the managers of that road and may have been an unavoidable accident. It is too serious lightly to charge anybody with the responsibility of endangering life, but we know that when the New Haven was running its wild career some years ago those accidents became quite frequent.

We know also that the roadbed on which the limited trains travel from Boston to New York once was one of the best roadbeds in the country. In the dining car of these limited trains you could carry your full cup of coffee to your lips without spilling it any more than you would spill it at home. Today you can scarcely get, by the most careful manoeuvring, a half cup of coffee to your lips without spilling it all over you. So great is the deterioration of the roadbed and rails and the upkeep of the cars that you are thrown in every direction so sharply that a half cup of coffee will slop in spite of the greatest skill. This indicates a bad roadbed and rails as well as bad car wheels, and it is bad roadbed and rails and bad car wheels which caused this accident.

Are New Englanders running the New Haven for New England, or is it being run for the Pennsylvania Railroad? Is New England again in danger of being reduced to a province of New York?

Hard to Settle Down

Easy to Start, Hard to Stop

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In Kentucky there is a regular battle between bootleggers and prohibition agents; the fight lasts four hours with regular battle array. The bootleggers win.

There is more burning, shooting and fighting in Ireland, buildings set on fire, women and children injured.

The government of China, biggest nation in the world, pays one hundred thousand cash to bandits to refrain from violence after Japan withdraws troops from Shantung.

This world trying to be civilized reminds you of Rip Van Winkle trying to be sober.

However, we are IMPROVING, which is the main thing. We all were cannibals fifty thousand years ago. We were all savage beasts burning each other alive in the name of God Almighty a few hundred years ago. We were slave owners in America less than sixty years ago. We are slave drivers in the factories still. But we are improving.

A member of the Ku Klux Klan dressed in full regalia appeared in a Brooklyn pulpit on Sunday. The police were there, but nothing could be done about it. Members of all religions, Christian, Jewish, Mohammedan, etc., are allowed to wear more or less fantastic clothing, according to modern ideas, in church.

It is, therefore, impossible to forbid a Ku Klux to wear a white sheet wrapped around himself, with a red cross on his chest, if that suits him.

The main thing is that the Ku Klux gentlemen should not tamper with government, or try to control it. And that, by the way, may be said with equal emphasis of all religions. For the Ku Klux tribe is not the first agent that has sought, in defiance of the United States Constitution, to make religion a force in government.

Fear of War Is Costly

Learn a Lesson From Europe

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While Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Poincare are discussing Lloyd George's charges against France, America might well mediate on the fact that while war is expensive, the FEAR OF WAR is almost as expensive.

France fears another war—of revenge—and has 700,000 soldiers. Think what that item means in the way of expense. Those men cannot be fed, housed, clothed, armed and drilled surely in these days for less than $300 a year each. This means $210,000,000 every year, at the present rate of exchange about three billions of francs. Thus fear of war costs France every year more than half the amount that Bismarck took after 1870.

The seven hundred thousand men tied up in the army would earn at least $2 a day, over six hundred dollars a year each. That means more than six thousand million francs in addition lost to France. This fear of war in two single items costs France every year twice the ransom that Bismarck demanded.

It is the same in Poland, except that Poland has not one-tenth the wealth of France, therefore cannot actually afford ANY expenditure.

What hope is there for the finances of continental Europe under such conditions? Germany, Austria, Russia are bankrupt at this moment. France and Poland are impoverished by their fear of future war.

What a lesson for this country, so happily placed with an ocean on either side, a peaceful people on the North, and a people that will never bother us, if treated decently, on the South!

Our job is to keep READY, not with an army of seven hundred thousand men, not with the expenditure of billions a year to enrich battleship makers and armor makers, but with flying machines that make battleships harmless, with submarines that in the last war were so dangerous that neither England nor Germany dared send a fleet to sea.

A small fraction of what France spends, as she must spend while afraid of revenge, to protect her frontiers, will make this country permanently safe with submarines and flying machines. The energy that the administration devotes to "wondering what we can do for Europe," should be devoted to wondering what we CAN DO FOR THE UNITED STATES, in the way of adequate, permanent, modern, inexpensive preparation up in the air and below the water.

"Mellerdrama"

The Jazz Road

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By T. E. Powers

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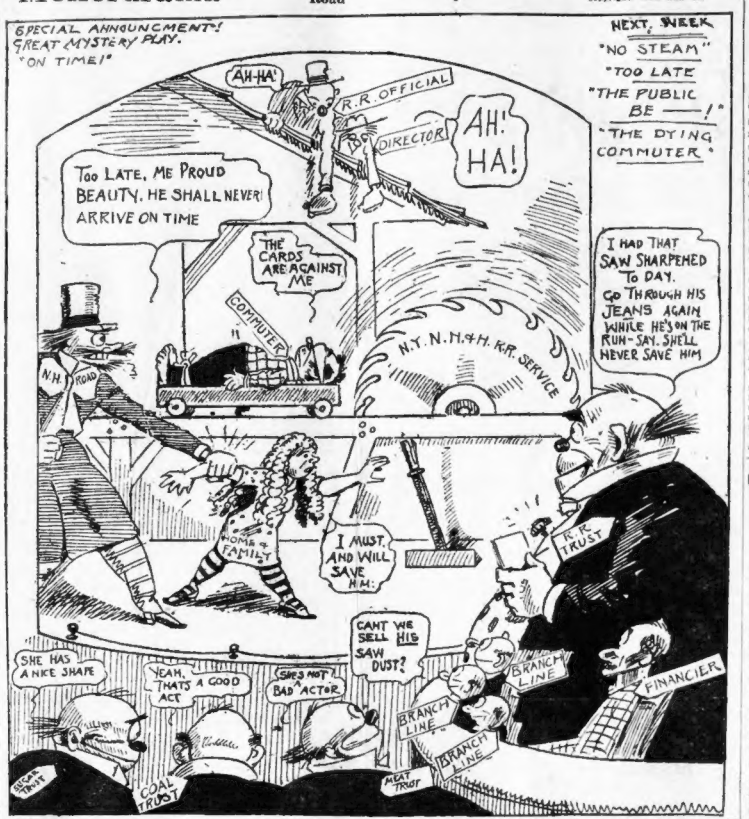
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HOME & FAMILY
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THEIR XMAS DEPENDS ON BASKET FUND

BY THE FLAPPER
(Caryl Frink.)

SOMETIME between now and New Year a new baby is coming to live in a basement home in South Boston. The little mother is trying to keep cheerful in the hope that her child will be born on the anniversary of the most important birthday of all, but there is so much worry to face.

It was bad enough when the others were born, the seven other little steps all under thirteen, but then at least "her man" was working in the shoe factory, and there was something coming in.

Now, with one hand crippled from an accident in the factory, the mainstay of the family is cramping the streets of a strange city far from home, looking for any kind of unskilled labor that will bring him a few dollars to send home. It has been weeks since an envelope with money in it has reached the little mother, and the birthday of the new baby is almost at hand.

Meanwhile, there are lots of little sisters and brothers in the basement tenement whose chances of a merry, merry Christmas are growing slimmer every day. Not that you could tell them that—

Only to see ten-year-old John clear up the table after the hasty lunch of bread and coffee, is to know that he is counting on a reward for good behavior. So far, Mrs. R. hasn't found it in her heart to tell her little brood that Santa Claus doesn't get down into basement flats. Telling the gang that the bread is out, that the coal is low, and that the milk man has passed them by is one thing; telling them that the jolly old saint hasn't anything, in his sleigh for them is quite another thing. Mrs. R. admits in a wistful whisper that she isn't equal to it.

Why not spare Mrs. R. the necessity of breaking the news to the kids? Toys cost so little, and food is such a simple luxury. Why not let them keep the Santa Claus illusion even if their father is out of work and out of luck?

You can do it if you will. A few dollars go a long, long way when they're sent to homes like Mrs. R.'s, through the Boston American Christmas Fund.

Those of you who are getting your homes ready to welcome guests, help Mrs. R. get ready for the most blessed stranger of all.

Mail your check today. Make it a birthday present to the little new baby that's coming to live in the basement tenement in South Boston. It's really the most important thing you have to do before Christmas!

GARRETT P. SERVISS ON LATIN AND ENGLISH

By Garrett P. Serviss

IT is a very old argument, long ago used to stimulate the ambition of backward schoolboys, that the study of Latin is a great help toward the command of English. Lately this argument has been re-employed in a somewhat novel form by the professor of English at Princeton University, Dr. Spaeth, who affirms that Latin is essential to mastery of what is called "business English."

He is reported as saying that the business man should know at least from 100 to 500 Latin words in connection with their derivative words in English. This would form, he thinks, a basis for good business English.

I believe that Dr. Spaeth is right. One of the strongest objections to the reformed spelling movement is that it obliterates the roots of words. This is contrary to the spirit of one of the most useful branches of language study, etymology, whose purpose is the investigation of the root-forms, the derivations, the original meanings, the development and the history of words.

We cannot help the fact that all the great tongues of today are largely derivative, largely made up from preceding languages now "dead" and from other languages still "living." And we should not try to prevent that state of things if we could. Continuous inbreeding would be no less fatal to a language than to a family. And good descent is as valuable in the heredity of a language as in that of a man.

Notoriously, language is but an imperfect medium for the transmission of ideas, and it is folly to reject what such peoples as the Greeks and the Latins did to perfect that medium, especially when we must recognize the fact that, while in essential intelligence they fully equaled ourselves, they were more favorably circumstanced than we in this age of materializing science are for the study of the art of expression. No tongue as expressive as Greek has ever been developed by man, and none as compact as Latin. Together they represent the acme of human attainment in the expression of thought.

In these busy days I would not advise everybody to study Latin and Greek, but I would advise everybody to learn, as Dr. Spaeth has suggested, say 500 Latin words, and I would add as many Greek words. An excellent book for every house is an etymological English dictionary.

While I have been writing this I have recalled, and looked up, an old, well worn copy of Dr. Smith's "Principia Latina, Part I.," which I studied many years ago and whence "preliminaries" I at that time supplemented in pencil with English derivative words, to the great advantage of my knowledge of what those words really meant.

HEROINES OF HISTORY

Significant Incidents in Lives of Famous Women

—By MARK STUYVESANT—

How Queen Isabella Helped to Discover America

"I Am Ready to Pawn My Jewels to Pay the Expenses"

A MAN discovered America. But it was a woman who made is possible for him to do it.

If it had not been for the beautiful Queen Isabella of Castile this huge continent might even longer have remained unknown to the world.

Isabella was the daughter of John II. of Castile, one of the powerful kingdoms of Spain. When John died his son, Henry, Isabella's brother, ascended the throne.

There was a younger brother, who died, leaving Isabella the next in line. Immediately plans for the princess' marriage were made. A princess was a valuable asset to the king. He could use her to establish friendly relations with another country by marrying her to one of its princes.

First, Isabella was affianced to Alfonso of Portugal. But she did not like him, and she managed to wriggle out of this through some technicality.

Finally the young lady of her own free will selected Ferdinand, who was the Crown Prince of Aragon, the kingdom adjoining Castile.

Their marriage was romantic. King Henry had threatened to put the handsome young princess into prison for refusing to marry Alfonso of Portugal. And Ferdinand's father was so poor that he could not send his son in the proper regal state to marry a princess.

But love overcame all obstacles. The prince fled to Valladolid disguised as a servant. There he met Isabella, and they were happily married by the Bishop of Toledo.

In this way Isabella early showed her spirit of independence and her ability to accomplish difficult things.

On December 11, 1474, King Henry died. The next day Isabella ascended the throne.

Peace was not one of Isabella's delights. So this invincible queen fell upon the Moors. She drove them out of Spain, and they stayed out.

But Isabella's crowning achievement was the outfitting of the brave young Italian who begged for money so that he could prove the world to be round.

Ferdinand tried to dissuade her, but the spirited Isabella cried:

"I will assume the undertaking for my own crown of Castile, and am ready to pawn my jewels to pay the expenses."

Of such indomitable spirit was this woman of whom Lord Bacon wrote:

"In all her relations of queen and woman, she was an honor to her sex and a corner-stone to the greatness of Spain."

CAN WE COME UP TO OUR IDEAL?

By Winifred Black

THEY'VE just come home from the photographer—the proofs of the new photographs.

And some of them are wonderful and some are not particularly good, and some are not good at all.

My friend was a little sad when she looked at them.

"I never can quite get used to it," she said. "The way I really look, and the way I wish I looked—they're so different!

"Where has she gone, the girl I knew once, and the woman I used to know?

"The girl who used to wake up singing at the top of her voice—to the great consternation of the neighbors.

"Where is the girl who was going to do such great things in the world, the girl with the light heart, and the belief in human nature, the girl who trusted everybody—even when she knew everybody wasn't to be trusted?

"What a lot she's learned, poor foolish girl, and how much she has forgotten while she was learning it!

"Poor girl that I used to know, if she had ever dreamed what was ahead of her she could never have lived to bear it.

"But she never did dream, and so she lived and took things as they came—one at a time, and now she's gone, and nobody will overseee her any more, and I'm sort of sorry for her somehow—I don't know why."

And I was sort of sorry, too, and I don't know why either—do you?

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WRONG HABITS CAUSE NERVES

LONDON, Dec. 20.—"There is not an overworked man in England today. Nervous conditions attributed to overwork are due instead to morbid egotism, bad habits and the weakling's craving for sympathy."

This is what Professor Wynne of Sheffield told an audience of women.

The degraded mental state commonly described as "nerves," and known by our great-grandmothers as "the vapors," had now become the fashion for women, and men, too. They were treated with sympathy, medicine and change of air, instead of bread and water and solitary confinement."

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British Loan

Editor Boston American:

I see by current report of the speech of Bonar Law delivered on the floor of the British Parliament, he dwells upon the inability of British imperialism to repay the American loan of five billion dollars. In the last two years, according to official figures, the people of England spent more than ten billion dollars in the consumption of alcoholic beverages, just twice the amount of the American loan. This money was loaned to save British imperialism, when Haig was fighting with his back to the wall. It might readily be repaid by consuming less Haig & Haig in Merrie England. Let the British people take the pledge for a fortnight and pay a year's interest on the loan. Better still, let them take the pledge for the year 1923 and pay the entire debt. The American people loaned five billion of their hard earned dollars which not only saved the British Empire but enabled it to seize 3,000,000 miles of additional territory and 50,000,000 additional subjects. Yankee dollars pay the bonus to British soldiers. Our own doughboys go without.

WILLIAM B. LARKIN.

A Good Cause

Editor Boston American:

Picture this: Two little girls bidding good-bye to both of their parents who are being taken to a sanatorium, down and out with T. B. Those little girls who have been exposed to this dread disease so long, what becomes of them? The Boston Tuberculosis Society takes them to its Preventorium on Harvard street, Mattapan, gives them lots of good nourishing food, clothes them, has a miniature schoolhouse with a teacher who loves children; in fact, looks after their every need, absolutely free of any cost, until such a time as there is absolutely no danger of their contracting T. B. This is the last week of the sale of Christmas seals by which the Boston Tuberculosis Society of 25 Huntington avenue are trying to finance this preventorium. They can be bought in the corridors of the main post office, and lots of places around town, or remittances can be made to No. 25 Huntington avenue to the society.

GEORGE ROBINSON.

THE HELPING HAND

Do Not Inclose Stamps. Letters Will Not Be Answered Personally

Boy to Adopt

Editor Boston American:

I have a very pretty baby boy, seventeen months old, whom I would like to place in a good home for adoption.

MRS. G.

Give How to Christmas Basket Fund

Dog for Angora

Editor Boston American:

I have a very good dog that I would like to change for an Angora kitten. This dog is a great pet and a very good watch dog.

MRS. I. B. W.

Give How to Christmas Basket Fund

To Make Clothes

Editor Boston American:

I would like some kind reader to send me cloth from which I could make children's clothes. I also need shoes for them.

MRS. E. W.

Give How to Christmas Basket Fund

Plush Coat

Editor Boston American:

I have a plush coat, size 40, that I would be glad to give to some woman that would like it. It is in good condition.

MRS. A. R. W.

EDA NOTE—A needy woman will be given the address of Mrs. A. R. W.

Underclothes

Editor Boston American:

I have two sets of heavy, Winter weight, fleeced quality, men's underwear, size 38, that I would gladly send to a deserving invalid, preferably a disabled veteran of our World War, who find it difficult to make ends meet. A friend has two sets men's underwear, size 36. If you can find a worthy war veteran that is needy, the latter two will be gladly sent via parcel post.

MRS. I. B. W.

ED. NOTE—A worthy man will be given the address of Mrs. I. B. W.

Give How to Christmas Basket Fund

Two-Wheeled Gig

Editor Boston American:

I have a two-wheeled gig, suitable for pushing around a baby of three. Will be glad to give to anyone that can make use of it. Also a doll in fairly good condition for a little girl of five or six, whose parents are not able i buy one.

H. H. D.

ED. NOTE—The address of H. H. D. will be sent a worthy mother whose baby is sick and needs the gig.

WORDS FROM THE LIPS OF WISE MEN

HUMILITY often gains more than pride.

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Confidence is the companion of success.

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No friend's a friend till he shall prove a friend.

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Every one can master a grief but he that has it.

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An honest death is better than a dishonest life.

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Learning makes a man fit company for himself.

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If virtue keeps court within, honor will attend without.

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Who fears to offend takes the first step to please.

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Even doubtful accusations leave a stain behind them.

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He that gropes in the dark finds what he would not.

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Chide a friend in private and praise him in public.

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Pity those whom nature abuses, but never those who abuse nature.

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A woman who wants a charitable heart wants a pure mind.

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Where there is mystery, it is generally supposed that there must also be evil.

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It is the part of a prudent man to conciliate the minds of others, and to turn them to his own advantage.

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DIVORCE EVIL IS BLAMED ON RICH

LONDON, Dec. 20.—"It is not the "poor workingman" who wants divorce made easier, but the "crowd of overdressed, overfed and underworked men and women who have too much time on their hands and not enough honest employment to keep them morally clean," in the opinion of an irate Bristol vicar who aired his views in a recent letter to the Sunday Express.

The vicar protested strongly against making divorce easier, contending that the reform should come in "the period before marriage when the choice is made." Once a choice has been made and vows taken, the minister contends, the contracting parties should not "squeal."